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THE NEWS SUMMARY

Short Items From Various Parts of the World.

Record of Many Happenings Condensed and Put In Small Space and Arranged With Special Regard For the Convenience of the Reader Who Has Little Time to Spare.

Thursday.

At the international congress of Chambers of Commerce in London Sydney Buxton, president of the board of trade, attacked Mr. Roosevelt.

Promoters of the big fight definitely announce that it wil be held at Reno, July 4.

President Taft cancels his proposed trip to New Haven to push through the postal savings bank bill.

More than 1,000 persons have been arrested by the Mexican government as revolutionists.

Mr. Roosevelt arranges for many conferences with political leaders at Sagamore Hill during the summer.

Wong Hong Heey, a blind and helpless paralytic, falls heir to $20,000 left by Miss Alethia M. Carter of Newark.

Friday.

A cable dispatch from London describes the wedding of Miss Nellie Post, daughter of Lady Barrymore, to Montague Eliot.

The Deutschland, a gigantic airship, makes a trip with twenty passengers from Friedrichshafen to Dusseldorf, a distance of 300 miles, in nine hours.

Measures to increase the birth rate in France are introduced in parliament.

J. K. Tener is nominated for governor by Pennsylvania Republicans.

The postal savings bank bill passed the senate by a vote of 44 to 25.

Dr. Seimeca, father of baby kidnapped by the Black Hand men, begs the police to cease activity on the case, and says he will pay the ransom for the child's return.

Saturday.

W. C. Brown, president of the New York Central lines, tells Minnesota bankers overconsumption of country's farm products is greatest menace now threatening.

Three men were killed and another seriously injured in a powder mill explosion at Valley Falls, Rensselaer county.

Senate committee absolves the tariff and trusts of causing the cost of high living.

Judge O'Sullivan accepts the presentment of the New York Grand Jury of which John D. Rockefeller, Jr., is foreman, and orders the inquiry continued.

Monday.

A double murder and the robbery of more than $6,000 by three Russian Poles on the principal business thoroughfare of Lynn, Mass., had its sequel less than two hours later in the death of one of the bandits, the serious wounding of another and the arrest of the third.

Theodore Roosevelt is called a "great but dangerous person" by Professor Terad, says a cable dispatch from London.

It is stated in Washington that if Italy does not apply for the extradition of Porter Charlton the United States will not voluntarily surrender him.

George Butler, 29 years old, a plumber, was instantly killed by a Central freight train at Watertown, N. Y., his head being cut off.

Dr. Frederick Treves in London astonished the public this week by declaring that the idea that colds are caught by draught is absurd.

Tuesday.

W. H. Bostwick, the desperado, who killed three men and wounded three at his home near Ocilla, near Atlanta, Ga., was found dying in his home yesterday when the Fitzgerald company of the national guard rushed and captured the house.

Representative Ames announces his candidacy to succeed Mr. Lodge in the senate.

Three members of one family of Roscoe, Pa., are dead and four others of the same family seriously injured when their automobile is struck by a street car.

Mr. Taft, fresh from his victories in congress, is ready to enter contest to save his party at the fall elections.

The decapitation of Mr. Pinchot is given as the cause of the failure of Mr. Roosevelt to give an endorsement of the Taft administration.

Wednesday.

A bomb is hurled in the Teatro Colon, Buenos Ayres, injuring twenty persons, six of them mortally, says a Mexican cable dispatch.

The Chinese throne refuses the popular demand for the immediate convocation of a national parliament.

Nicaraguan rebels capture Acoyago, department of Chontalis, and two smaller towns.

Senate committee meets to begin inquiry into Senator Gore's charges of attempted bribery in Indian cases.

Dr. Black, defeated at primaries for nomination by Representative Dalzell of Pennsylvania, renews fight for a recount, alleging fraud.

The Montreal Star, according to dispatches from Ottawa, quotes Admiral Sir Archibald Douglas as declaring sentiment for annexation to be widely prevalent in the Dominion.

News Snapshots Of the Week Honor of being first woman to receive degree from Yale university falls to Jane Addams, Hull House, Chicago; James J. Hill, railroad organizer, also given degree. Count Zeppelin, Germany, flies 300 miles with twelve passengers. Ex-Ball Player A. G. Spalding of Los Angeles may succeed Frank P. Flint in senate. Congressman John K. Tener, also ex-ball player, nominated by Republicans for governor of Pennsylvania. Because of objections to holding Jeffries-Johnson fight in San Francisco Promoter Tex Rickard decides to hold affair in Reno, Nev. Before marching up Broadway, New York, after his arrival Roosevelt spoke in Battery park. Otto Kahn, New York banker, declared by T. F. Ryan to be one of seven men who control money of United States.

Progressive Lawn Party.

One of the most elaborate social functions ever given by the Union Friendly Society was the progressive lawn party last Thursday evening. The members of the Society and their guests gathered at the home of Miss Marion Rentz, West Fourth Street, at eight o'clock and at 8:30 the first two courses of the dinner were served on the west lawn, on very prettily decorated tables, the decorations being in white and yellow, with place cards containing daisies. After the serving, the gentlemen of the party, wtre called upon by the president to make a few remarks and all responded. At 9:30 the party repaired to the home of Miss Margaret Dodson where the third and fourth courses were served. The porch was decorated in the color scheme of white and yellow and the tables were lighted with candles. The speakers at this time were the young ladies and some very appropriate remarks were made. At 10:30 the "merry bunch" went to the home of the Missess Hertig and found the meadow well provided with cosy corners, hammocks and swings and lighted with Japanese lanterns. The fifth and sixth courses were served here. The remainder of the evening was then devoted to a general good time. During the evening the following good things were served:

EENU.

Puree of Fruit. Nabisco.
Salmon Steak, *a la Francaise*,
Olives, Saltines.
Veal Loaf, *Espagnole*,
Cold Boiled Ham, Saratoga Chips,
Parkerhouse Rolls.
Cabbage Salad *en Mayonnaise*,
Fruit Gelatine, *Fete Champetre*,
Wafers, Ice Cream. Assorted
Cake, Salted Almonds *en Cases*
After Dinner Mints,
Coffee.

Guests of the Society for the evening were as follows: Miss Maude Callahan, of Driftwood, Miss Margaret Costley, of Kane, Miss Flora Schlecht, of Emporium, and Messrs. R. Edwin Baldwin, William A. Flynn, J. Warner Judd, Lee W. Felt, of this place, Charles A. Lambert, of Pittsburg and E. J. Powell, of Scranton. Members of the Society present were: Misses Verena, Alma and Hilda Hertig, Grace and Marguerite Metzger, Ruby and Grace Heideck, Ethel Fisher, Belle Husted, Helen Smutz, Margaret Dodson, Marion Rentz Anna Welsh, and Minnie Baurgelt and Messrs. Russell McQuay, Howard Schriner, Allan Randolph Max Balcom, John Murray, Scott Sterner, Arthur Catlin and Everett Pierson.

Returned From Hospital.

Mrs. Asa Murray returned home from the hospital, Wednesday afternoon, accompanied by her husband and daughter, Miss Helen, who went to Williamsport, Wednesday morning. Mrs. Murray is somewhat improved.

Purchases Handsome Rochester Hotel.

W. G. Gilbert and wife, of this place, are busily engaged packing their household goods, preparatory to moving to Rochester, N. Y., where Mr. Gilbert has purchased the Hotel Eggleston, situated at 163 Main Street East. We have before us the Rochester Sunday Herald, of June 19th, 1910, wherein we notice a beautiful illustrated article on this large and popular house. The building, is a large four story brick structure, containing about 160 sleeping rooms.

"The rooms have all the modern appointments, the major portion being equipped with bath, electric call and telephone service. The furnishings are elegant, while the decorations are indeed most restful, yet grand to look upon.

The lobby is a work of art with its English glass doors, unique combinations of plate and colored glass windows and side walls decorated with a beam effect, while in the ornamented relief work the frescoer has added a touch of color in red and gold that lends to the place a most pleasing atmosphere.

The buffet, which is to the west side of the lobby, with entrance from Main Street, is, as in the past, supplied with those fine old mellow wines and liquors that gained for it the enviable reputation that it has enjoyed since first opening.

The new and spacious dining and banquet rooms are reached by individual entrance from Main Street, corner of Stone. These rooms are finished after the old English timbered idea in Antwerp finish, a deep brown, with ceiling and sidewall gnished in modern and antique renaissance. Electric fixtures of the German lantern style, with subdued lights, suspended from the ceiling, reflect their rays through colored glass, lending added charm to the surroundings.

The barber shop, which is at the rear of the banquet hall, is reached through the hotel lobby; also entrance from Stone Street. This is, to say the least, one of the most modern barber shops in New York State, the entire trimmings being in tile, giving it that immaculate white appearance.

On the main floor to the extreme rear has been installed a new kitchen, which for appointment has no superior. It is spacious and contains every device that tends to give service, and at the same time lend ease to those employed therein. In this may be included a new ventilating system which conveys the odors to the outer world instead of to the house proper."

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert, who have wide experience in hotel business came here several years ago, purchasing the Hotel Warner, which they successfully conducted until they leased the popular hostelry to Mr. H. W. Smith, who has "made good" and is popular with the general public and highly respected by our citizens

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert during their residence in Emporium, have always held the esteem and respect of our citizens, not only of this place but all the surrounding country, one and all of whom deeply regret their leaving Emporium. Mr. Gilbert has always been energetic and liberal to a fault wherein it benefited our town. The beautiful city of Rochester is to be congratulated upon gaining a business man who is very largely interested in business affairs, a careful calculator and as reliable as time.

Personally, the PRESS deeply regrets the departure of Mr. Gilbert and his excellent wife and only wishes them unbounded prosperity.

McDonald's Ice Cream and Confectionery Parlors.

John McDonald has newly fitted and furnished the Novelty Restaurant in fine style and embarked in the Confectionery, Fruit and Ice Cream business. Everything throughout is new and up-to-date, making a comfortable, neat and attactive resort for all lovers of good things. Especial care has been taken to purchase the most improved packing cases for creams, thereby guarding against impure creams. Our Soda Fountain is now on tap, where every flavor will be served and warranted pure. Call and see us and enjoy a nice cool room and delicious creams and soda.

Approaching Social Functions.

Emporium has been very lively during the past few weeks with card parties and other social entertainments, and it will continue for the next few weeks to come. This evening, Miss Lena Bair, will entertain the Sewing Club at her home on Fifth Street and next week these popular young ladies will be entertained by Miss Christy MacDonald, at her home on Fourth Street. On next Wednesday evening, July 6th, the Union Friendly Society will hold a six o'clock picnic supper, followed by a camp fire, on Hertig's Hill. Miss Margaret Dodson and Miss Helen Smutz are in charge of the affair.

Leaves For Grafton.

Leo Peterson, who has been employed as a chemist at the Keystone Powder plant for the past year, left for New York City, Wednesday evening, from which place he will go to Grafton, Ill., where he will assume the duties of superintendent of a powder plant at that place. Mr. Peterson is a very pleasant gentleman and we wish him success in his new field of labor. He will read the news from home in the PRESS each week.

Furnace Work Progressing.

Chas. Bell and crew of expert furnace brick men arrived on Sunday and actively commenced work relining the stoves. Should the contemplated new work be decided upon it will require three or four months to do the work. We hope Mr. Brady will double the capacity of Emporium Iron Company, thereby adding thousands of dollars in additional wages to his pay roll. Long may the Emporium Furnace continue to illuminate our mountain city. It is a great assistance to the business interests of our town and we all feel indebted to Mr. Andrew Brady, for his perseverence, good management, liberality, to say nothing of his interest in good roads, good streets and good walks, giving freely furnace slag to individuals, and municipality free of cost, thereby making it possible to have the best walks to be found in the state and plenty of them. Few towns have as much.

Paving Progressing.

Contractors Costello & Neagle are pushing the paving on Broad street with vigor, most of the block having been placed on the North side. Already a great improvement is noticed by all and when completed from railroad to Fifth street it will certainly be a handsome street. Would that all prominent streets could be treated likewise, thus adding to the value of all property. No town can make a more economical investment than paved streets, provided, the expense, if paid by the tax-payers, is put out in long term bonds at a low rate of interest. Then the expense is not felt.

Rev. M. L. Tate Accepts Call.

Last week a committee from the Vestry of Emmanuel Episcopal Church, invited the Rev. M. L. Tate, Rector of Trinity Episcopal Church at Tryone, Pa., to come to Emporium and preach in Emmanuel Church. The Rev. gentleman arrived in town, Saturday afternoon and favored the congregation with two very able discourses at morning and evening prayer on Sunday. The congregation was very favorably impressed with Rev. Tate and at a meeting of the Vestry, Sunday afternoon, a call was extended to him. Rev. Tate has practically accepted the invitation, but a formal acceptance will be made during this present week, and it is expected that he will assume charge of the church within a few weeks. During his visit in Emporium he was entertained at the palatial residence of Mr. Joseph Kaye and family, Sixth street.

L. S. Fisk Injured in Runaway.

L. S. Fisk met with a painful accident last Saturday afternoon. Mr. Fisk had gone to the saw mill of Mr. C. G. Catlin, on Allegany Avenue, and while attempting to turn his wagon around while it was loaded, it upset, throwing him out and at the same time he caught his foot in the reins and was dragged quite a distance by the horses, who became frightened and ran away. Dr. Bush was soon on the scene and had Mr. Fisk relieved of his suffering as much as possible in a short time. At first it was though that he would be laid up for some time, but we are pleased to state that he is able to be around, although he is very sore, bruised and lame.

Aged Man Injured.

Mr. Angevine, father of W. E. Angevine, met with an accident last Tuesday evening, which will lay him up for some time. Mr Angevine was driving on Fifth Street when the horse became frightened by a lawn mower and ran away. Mr. Angevine was thrown out of the wagon and received very severe bruises, especially on the lower limbs. Dr. Bush was called and did all he could for the aged gentleman. Mr. Angevine is over 70 years of age and an accident of this nature effects old age considerable. He is improving as well as can be expected.

Children's Day.

The annual observance of Children's Day took place last Sunday evening at the Methodist Episcopal Church. The church was crowded to its utmost capacity and the program was well rendered and was enjoyed to the fullest extent by the large congregation. The cantata, "Summer Time," was given and the soloists were assisted by a good chorus and the Sunday School orchestra. These yearly events are looked forward to with much pleasure, especially by the little ones, but are largely enjoyed by the older people as well.

State Inspector.

Wm. H. Ennis, Inspector for State Health Department, visited in Emporium on Monday and Tuesday, looking over the Borough sewers system.

July 4th Ice Cream.

Leave your order early for I. X. L. Ice Cream for July 4th. Any quantity promptly delivered.

J. B. MEISEL.

Handsomly Finished.

Harry Fritz, representing Smith Bro's Co., of Bidgway, has completed the decorating of Dr. H. S. Falk's offices and a mighty neat job it is, too

THE WEATHER.

FRIDAY, Fair.
SATURDAY, Showers.
SUNDAY, Fair.

ASSETS

First National Bank,

EMPORIUM, PA.

At the close of business, June 29, 1910,

$935,467.20.

INDEPENDENCE DAY.

John Hancock was the first man to sign the Declaration of Independence, which gave us unbounded resources, and opportunities, and the privilege of celebrating the Fourth of July.

But the young man who signs his first check will be the one who starts a saving account in his youth and constantly adds to it until he accumulates a working capital. Start it now.

$1.00 Starts an Account.

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DR. LEON REX FELT,
DENTIST.
Rockwell Block, Emporium, Pa.

DR. H. W. MITCHELL,
DENTIST,
Office over A. F. Vogt's Shoe Store
Emporium, Pa. 12y

Wedding Bells.

ENTRES—JONES.

Last Sunday afternoon, at three o'clock, a very pretty wedding was solemnized at St. Mark's Rectory, by the Rev. Father T. B. Downey, when Miss Mary Christina Entres, of this place, became the bride of Mr. Jessee Jones, also of Emporium. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Nora Entres, as bride's maid, while Mr. Ray Waddington did the honors of best man. After the wedding ceremony, the bridal party were driven to the newly furnished home of the groom, on Cherry street, where they received the congratulations of many friends. An elaborat wedding supper was served at six o'clock. Mrs. Jones has been a resident of Emporium for the past two years and has made many friends during her residence here. Mr. Jones has spent nearly his entire life in this section and is an industrious and upright young man and is one of the valued employees of the Eastern Dynamite Company. The PRESS joins with their many friends in wishing them a happy and prosperous life. Mrs. Joseph Entres, mother of the bride, of St. Marys, was the only guest from out of town who witnessed the ceremony.

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CARD—MINARD.

Miss Ophelia Card and Mr. Hugh Minard, of this place, were quietly married last Tuesday evening at nine o'clock, by the Rev. J. L. Bogue, pastor of the Baptist Church, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Eaton, on South Maple Street. Mrs. Minard has been one of the most successful teachers in the public schools of Cameron county for the past few years and has many friends in this section. Mr. Minard is an ambitious and industrious young man being employed in the powder plants at this place. The happy couple are receiving the congratulations of their many friends. They have the best wishes of the PRESS.

Welcome Visitor.

Geo. W. Huntley, Jr., and two of his children, of Covington, Va., were guests of the former's parents, Hon. G. W. Huntley and family, at Driftwood over Sunday. Geo. visited his many Emporium friends on Monday, all being pleased to meet him. We all are glad to know that this talented young man is making good in the "land of cotton" and that his abilities are appreciated, even if he is a Yankee.

Miss Murphy Graduates.

On Tuesday evening commencement exercises took place at the hospital at Ridgway. Miss Josephine Murphy, who has a host of friends at this place, was in the class. Miss Murphy is a very pleasant young lady and is sure to make a capable nurse. Mrs. Kathryn Bush, sister of Miss Murphy, Misses Christy MacDonald and Julia Hogan and Mr. Herbert Vogt, of this place, were in attendance at the Commencement and dance. Miss Murphy is to be congratulated upon her graduation and we wish her unbounded success in her chosen profession.

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The Job department of the PRESS is complete and affords facilities for doing the best class of work. PARTICULAR ATTENTION PAID TO LAW PRINTING.

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Bad Company.

How do men feel whose whole lives (and many men's lives are) are lies, schemes, and subterfuges? What sort of company do they keep when they are alone? Daily in life I watch men whose every smile is an artifice and every wink an hypocrisy. Doth such a fellow wear a mask in his own privacy, and to his own conscience?—Thackeray.

Chinese Superstition.

What is commonly called a "cash sword" is supposed to be efficacious in keeping away evil spirits. It is often hung on the front and outside of the bridal curtain in a position parallel to the horizon. It is said that it is a formidable weapon, of which the maliciously disposed spirits are exceedingly afraid.

Only One.

Little Jack's mother showed him a letter from a "new aunt," who had attained to this relationship by marrying Jack's favorite uncle. "Mamma," said Jack innocently, as he laboriously spelled out the signature, "Belle Paine," "does aunty pronounce her front name in two syllables?"—Lippincott's.

For Perfect Health.

In order to support life and growth and to maintain the strength and efficiency of the human body, some things are absolutely necessary. Among these, named perhaps in order of importance, are: Pure air, wholesome nutritious food, unbroken sleep and some form of muscular exercise.

The Celestial Empire.

Celestial empire is derived from Tien Chau, that is the heavenly dynasty, meaning the kingdom which the dynasty appointed by heaven rules over. The inhabitants are called celestials because they are subjects of that empire.

Refreshing Streams.

How often a man has cause to return thanks for enthusiasms of his friends! They are the little fountains that run down from the hills to refresh the mental desert of the despondent.—Henry Van Dyke.

Industry Grew With Nation.

In 1787 the first really successful glass factory in the United States was opened in Boston. Pittsburg broke into the industry nine years later, and from that time on it spread rapidly as the nation grew.

Applied Learning.

The Absent-Minded Professor—"My tailor has put one button too many on my vest. I must cut it off. That's funny; now there's a buttonhole too many. What's the use of arithmetic?"—Sourire.

Waterproof.

Mother—"In all the wild storm your sister Maggie went out with her throat all bare and exposed." Brother—"Rain won't hurt her. She's got a rubber neck."—Life.

Uncle Eben's Wisdom.

"It's a lucky thing foh de human race," said Uncle Eben, "dat de Ten Commandments wasn't loaded down wif phraseology like de laws de legislature passes."

Quite True.

"I have to face the fact," mused the fashionable photographer, as he looked over some recent pictures, "that there are some very ugly features in this business."

The Art of Sleeping.

Slumber commences at the extremities, beginning with the feet and legs. That is why it is always necessary to keep the feet warm.—Family Doctor.

Chasing the Wolf Away.

When the wolf is at your door you will be surprised how easily you can chase him away if you make the effort.—Atchison Globe.

Life's Golden Dreams Fade.

A man starts out expecting to get rich and ends up thinking he is lucky to keep out of the poorhouse.—New York Press.

Matter of Fact.

"Mine is a trying situation," remarked Beatrice Inattic, the beautiful cloak model.—Minnesota Minnehaha.

SURE TO BE WRONG

REPRESENTATIVE ADAMSON A TRUE DEMOCRAT.

His Position in Opposition to Pending Legislation an Excellent Example of the Methods of His Party.

Verily it is a hard task to fathom the processes of the Democratic mind. The only safe theory seems to be that if there is a wrong way of going about anything, that is the way the Democrat is going to adopt.

Witness the performances of Representative Adamson of Georgia. Mr. Adamson, an earnest Democrat, is a member of the house committee on interstate commerce, and in such capacity he is opposing the president's commerce bill.

As near as can be discovered, Mr. Adamson's objections are based chiefly on the ground that the bill is an execution of certain Democratic principles and policies.

"The provision as to initiating an inquiry into the rates and practises the president borrowed from the Democratic leaders," asserts Mr. Adamson. He also says, "the president has borrowed from the Democratic platform the suggestion that the commission may arrest a rate before it goes into effect."

Naturally the average citizen, unversed in Democratic ratiocination will inquire why these facts should embitter a Democrat against the bill. It would seem, rather, that they should inspire him to advocate it and to lend his influence to its early adoption. For, surely, measures urged by the revered Democratic platform and advocated by the estimable Mr. Bryan must be good for the country, even though an unkind fate has decreed that they should be advanced by a Republican president.

There is a pretty vigorous demand on the part of the people, regardless of party, for the passage of the legislation mapped out by President Taft. If he has borrowed some of his ideas from the Democratic party, so much the better for the party. It will give its orators something tangible to talk about on the hustings next fall. But opposition to the measures, predicted on such astonishing grounds as those of Mr. Adamson will make no friends for him or his party.

Champ Clark's Tariff Views.

Sir—After reading Representative Champ Clark's spech in denunciation of the Payne tariff, I feel like doing a little "spluttering" myself, so here goes:

It seems to me the reasoning voter must come to the conclusion that Clark might well express the oft-quoted phrase attributed to one of our great departed, viz., "The tariff? I don't know a d——n thing about it." Clark is a politician pure and simple. A shrewd one, too, but his kind seldom fool the people more than once in a generation. All the voter needs is experience and a little time to collect his thoughts, and the Clarks are exploded.

Always destructive, never constructive, they are like a defective boiler, they "bust" when overloaded with steam and the safety valve fails to work.

Long live the Clarks (they are entertaining jokers), but soon may they "bust." INSURGENT DEMOCRAT.
Canton, Ohio.

Taft's Tribute to Knox.

The president at Pittsburg showed his usual sense of fitness when, in the presence of Pittsburg citizens, he paid a glowing tribute to Mr. Knox, whom their city had given to the service of the nation as attorney general, as senator, and finally as a secretary of state who has maintained the distinguished traditions of his high office. In view of the carping censoriousness of those who do not appreciate noiseless efficiency, and who hold that because the state department does not advertise it is doing little or nothing, it must have afforded the president peculiar gratification to pass in review the substantial accomplishment of the department under Secretary Knox during the first year of his administration. This was his answer in his own way and his own well chosen time to stories of "cabinet dissension."—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

In Free Trade England.

It is stated by the London Economist, that the average increase in prices in England since 1896 is 30 per cent.

England is a free trade country. So the much higher cost of living there cannot be blamed against the tariff. Also, wages are much lower in England, and employment is not so abundant as in the United States.

These are facts consideration of which American advocates of downward tariff revision discreetly omit.—Albany Journal.

La Prenza, the famous newspaper of Buenos Ayres, nominates Secretary Knox as successor to the late King Edward in the title of The Peacemaker. He is today the most practical advocate of ways and means for securing the world's peace.

No Wonder He's Peeved.

"Mr. Bryan is hard to please," says the Chicago Inter Ocean. What makes it hardest of all, though, is the fact that none of the able bodied voters have ever manifested any great desire to try and please him.

THEORY OPPOSED TO FACTS

Wail of Representative Foss Should Have Little Effect on the Country.

Said Mr. Foss:

"Today millions of our people are deprived of comfort and health, and even of life, by the so-called protective tariff on wool and woolens for the benefit of the sheep ranches and woolen trusts."

Certainly we have heard pretty much the same cry before. Wasn't it issuing with strong lungs from Massachusetts? Yes, yes, to be sure. "Give us free hides and cheap shoes." That was the way the "battle cry" ran. "Give us free hides and cheap shoes." Today millions are deprived of comfort and health by the protective tariff on hides, and so on.

Well, what happened? The very tariff bill which Mr. Foss now assails placed hides on the free list. Surely the "cheap shoes" followed? Not a bit of it. Hides, leather and—shoes are higher than ever.

Something seems to be askew with the theory of Mr. Foss. But that is not singular. Theory frequently goes to pieces when it runs up against plain facts.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Sherman Praises Taft.

Vice-President Sherman, in eulogizing the president the other day, touched significantly on a legitimate phase of executive "doing things," saying:

"He is bringing about in a quiet way, without great friction, many reforms in the government service that are not given to the public in a spectacular manner, but which will be hown in the annual reports made up at the end of the fiscal year. It will be well then for those critics who have seen fit to find fault with their presidents, to look into these returns and see to what extent the government and the people themselves have been benefited by wise administration."

Light in Massachusetts.

The commission appointed by the Massachusetts legislature to investigate the cost of living, reports that the tariff has nothing to do with the increase of prices. Incidentally the report adds that the extension of Canadian reciprocity in the matter of manufactures is inexpedient at the present time. Really! This might be called news "delayed in transmission." For at least ten years it has been entirely obvious to ordinary intelligences that under no circumstances could Canada be induced to accept reciprocity in manufactured products. Massachusetts has finally found this out. The world moves slowly, in some places.

Sees Roosevelt's Position Plain.

Mr. Roosevelt is bound by force of circumstances as well as by the logic of the situation not only to decline absolutely any efforts that may be made in his own behalf, but to give his active hearty support to President Taft and to stand by him to the end. Nobody can justly accuse President Taft of not making an honest, sincere effort to carry out the spirit of the Roosevelt policies, and under all the accepted rules and customs of politics this entitles him to the support of the Roosevelt followers in obtaining a renomination.—Kansas City Journal.

Worthy of High Position.

History will have a fine place in its records for Secretary Knox, who is continuing that brilliantly useful record made by him as attorney general of the United States and as a member of the senate. President Taft is quick to recognize this fact, and the American people with their usual justice will brush away the clouds of petty detraction which are prompted either by self-interest or by sensationalism, and will recognize in Mr. Knox a worthy successor of a distinguished line of masters of diplomacy.

The administration of President Taft, considered in its broadest sense and covering the work of congress as well as that of the executive department, has achieved one of the most remarkable records in the history of the nation.—Kansas City Star.

The Honorable Joseph W. Bailey of Texas is quoted as saying that "to be an insurgent is a half apology for being a Republican." Perhaps some of the insurgents will retort by wondering what a Standard Oil Democratic senator is an apology for.

Mr. Bryan says he "is not a candidate for president in 1912, and that he 'never expects" to be a candidate again, but the sly old boy does not say he "will not."

Mr. Bryan's paper asserts that the Democratic party is in no mood to be trifled with. Has Mr. Bryan received notice that he is not to trifle with it a fourth time?

Largest Weaving Loom in World.

Germany boasts that it has the largest weaving loom in the world An engineering firm of Chemnitz, Saxony, the center of the textile industry, has just completed at Rodewisch, in the same neighborhood, a huge crank loom 77 feet long and 60 feet wide. It stands ten feet high and weighs 35 tons. The shuttle is of corresponding proportions and travels to and fro 12 times a minute.

This machine is capable of turning out seamless disks of felt such as are used in paper mills up to 233 feet in circumference.

LAND IN CANADA AN INVESTMENT

WORK IT, AND SECURE 20 PER CENT. ON THE EXPENDITURE.

Farm lands in Canada increased in value this Spring from fifteen to twenty per cent, and as a result of this increase thousands of those who have gone there within the past few years have had that much more value added to their holdings. There is proof here that as a field for investment there is nowhere to be found a more profitable one than in purchasing farm lands in Canada. And, as a field for occupation and working the farms there is nowhere on the continent where more satisfactory return is given. The crops are always sure and the prices are always good. With railroads entering and traversing all the settled parts, there are very few districts in which the farmer will be more than from ten to twelve miles from a railway station. Roads are good, and big loads are easily handled. The price of getting grain to the primary market is low on this account, and then in reaching the world's markets the railways have their rates controlled by the Government, and what may be considered a fair deal is certain. Good prices for all kinds of grain is the rule, and if the investor has made good money by the increased value given to his unworked land, it is not difficult to understand that the profit to the man who works his land is just that much more, and there will be no depreciation. The man who holds a free homestead of one hundred and sixty acres of land, which he got for $10 as an entry fee, has land which at its lowest estimate is worth $10 an acre—yes, $15 an acre—the moment he has completed his three years' residence duties. It will continue to increase in value until its earning power gives a reasonable interest on a certain sum. That is, if he takes off the land fifteen to twenty dollars per acre clear profit each year, his land is worth to him, at a fair rate of interest, $200 an acre. If he only realizes $10 an acre clear profit, it is worth $100 per acre. Now, thousands of farmers are duplicating these figures. The price of land in Canada to-day is much less than its realizing value. The fact that the fifty thousand Americans who went to Canada year before last were followed by one hundred thousand last year offers some evidence, and good evidence, too, that there is getting to be a pretty fair knowledge that money is to be made in Canada lands. As an investment money is to be made, but more by living upon the land, secured either by homestead or purchase. The one hundred thousand of last year will be one hundred and fifty thousand this year. These comprise people from every state in the Union, and it is just being realized the asset that awaits the homeseeker in Canada. The large numbers that have gone, though, makes no appreciable difference in the supply of land. There is still left vast quantities of the best of it. But the longer a delay is made in arriving at a decision, the price will advance proportionately, and the more desirable homesteads near the railway lines become more difficult to secure. The Government publishes interesting literature, which may be had on application to any of the agents whose offices are located at different points through the States, and they (the agents) will be pleased to assist in any way possible in the choice of location.

Children.

Listen to this opinion from David Starr Jordan:

"There is nothing in all the world so important as children, nothing so interesting. If you ever wish to go in for some philanthropy, if you ever wish to be of any real use in the world, do something for children. If you ever yearn to be truly wise, study children. We can dress the sore, bandage the wounded, imprison the criminal, heal the sick and bury the dead, but there is always a chance that we can save a child. If the great army of philanthropists ever exterminate sin and pestilence, ever work out our race's salvation, it will be because a little child has led them."—Nautilus.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

Sold by Druggists. Price, 75c. per bottle.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Fletcherite Loses His Count.

"Bobby," said his mother, "sit up straight, and don't tuck your napkin under your chin. I've told you hundreds of time—"

"There!" exploded Tommy, "you've made me lose the count! I don't know now whether it's 256 or 356 times I've chewed this clam!"

"That Place Needs a Picture."

This is something you have often said about a certain blank spot on the wall. Modern methods of art reproduction make it possible for the Hewitt Brothers Soap Company of Dayton, Ohio, to send you a beautiful picture for twenty-five wrappers from Easy Task soap and a two-cent stamp. This clean, pure laundry soap is the one that makes a half day's work of a whole day's washing.

Circumstances are beyond the control of man, but his conduct is in his own power.—Beaumont.

Libby's SOUPS

Tomato
Chicken
Vegetable

and ten other kinds. Delightful natural flavor and made from the very best materials, with the care of experienced chefs, in the great White Enameled Kitchens.

Libby's Soups are ready for immediate use by adding an equal portion of hot water

Ask your grocer for Libby's Soups

Libby, McNeill & Libby
Chicago

NATURALLY.

Biffs—How did the baby show turn out?

Bings—Oh, it was a howling success.

After the Horrible Example.

"Does a minister to China, pa, have to take a queue with him?"

"He gets a cue not to talk too much."

For Proper Care of Tuberculosis.

According to the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis, New York state leads in the number of beds for consumptives provided up to May 1, with 5,476 beds; Massachusetts is second with 2,403 beds; Pennsylvania, third, with 2,347 beds; Colorado, fourth, with 1,489 beds; and New Mexico fifth, with 1,104 beds. As yet, not one state in the country has made adequate provision for its consumptives. New York has set itself the task of having "No uncared-for tuberculosis in 1915," and several cities in other parts of the country have adopted similar programs. The national association says that tuberculosis will not be stamped out until all cases of this disease are cared for either in their homes or in institutions. With this end in view, efforts will be made to increase the number of hospital beds in this country to at least 35,000 by May 1, 1911.

A Happy Day

Follows a breakfast that is pleasing and healthful.

Post Toasties

Are pleasing and healthful, and bring smiles of satisfaction to the whole family.

"The Memory Lingers"

Popular Pkg. 10c.
Family Size 15c.

Postum Cereal Co., Ltd.
Battle Creek, Mich.

The Place to Buy Cheap
—IS AT—
J. F. PARSONS'

5 DROPS

TRADE MARK

CURES

RHEUMATISM
LUMBAGO, SCIATICA
NEURALGIA and
KIDNEY TROUBLE

"5-DROPS" taken internally, rids the blood of the poisonous matter and acids which are the direct causes of these diseases. Applied externally it affords almost instant relief from pain, while a permanent cure is being effected by purifying the blood, dissolving the poisonous substance and removing it from the system.

DR. S. D. BLAND
Of Brewton, Ga., writes:

"I had been a sufferer for a number of years with Lumbago and Rheumatism in my arms and legs, and tried all the remedies that I could gather from medical works, and also consulted with a number of the best physicians, but found nothing that gave the relief obtained from "5-DROPS." I shall prescribe it in my practice for rheumatism and kindred diseases."

FREE

If you are suffering with Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Kidney Trouble or any kindred disease, write to us for a trial bottle of "5-DROPS," and test it yourself.

"5-DROPS" can be used any length of time without acquiring a "drug habit," as it is entirely free of opium, cocaine, alcohol, laudanum, and other similar ingredients.

Large Size Bottle, "5-DROPS" ($00 Doses) $1.00. For Sale by Druggists.

SWANSON RHEUMATIC CURE COMPANY,
Dept. 80. 160 Lake Street, Chicago.

How's Business?

THIS ad. is directed at the man who has all the business in his line in this community.

¶ Mr. Merchant—You say you've got it all. You're selling them all they'll buy, anyhow. But at the same time you would like more business.

¶ **Make this community buy more.**

¶ Advertise strongly, consistently, judiciously.

¶ Suppose you can buy a lot of washtubs cheap; advertise a big washtub sale in this paper. Put in an inviting picture of a washtub where people can see it the minute they look at your ad. Talk strong on washtubs. And you'll find every woman in this vicinity who has been getting along with a rickety washtub for years and years will buy a new one from you.

¶ That's creative business power.

OUR AD. RATES ARE RIGHT
—CALL ON US

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Word-of-Mouth Advertising

Passing encomiums, only over your store counter, about the quality of what you've got to sell, results in about as much satisfaction as your wife would get if you gave her a box of cigars for Christmas.

Advertising in This Paper
talks to everybody at once and makes them talk back with money.

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$ Aim the Ad. Gun $
TRUE

If it's hot weather, advertise cool things, Mr. Merchant. When it's cold, boost warmth. You know what people want; when they want 'em.

Profit thereby. Send your copy to-day for your ad. in this paper.

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The Document That Made Americans Freemen

CONGRESS in 1776 had put into the hands of John Adams and Thomas Jefferson the drafting of the Declaration of Independence, writes Fullerton L. Waldo in the Philadelphia Ledger. The two collaborators had a clear idea of the articles of which the Declaration was to consist, for there had been prolonged discussions in committee, of which careful notes were taken. The little sub-committee of two men met and conferred together, and Jefferson asked Adams to take the written memoranda to his lodgings and there prepare the draft.

But Adams, self-effacingly, insisted that the laborious honor should fall to his colleague.

"You are a Virginian," said Adams, "and I am a Massachusetts man. You are a southerner and I am from the north; I have been so obnoxious for my early and constant zeal in promoting the measure that any draft of mine would undergo a more severe scrutiny and criticism in congress than one of your composition. And finally—and that would be reason enough if there were no other—I have a great opinion of the elegance of your pen and none at all of my own."

Whereupon, bowing deeply and with protestations of mutual regard, the patriots went their several ways, Jefferson with the manuscript under his arm. And in a day or two they met again and "conn'd the paper over."

"I was delighted with its high tone," Adams wrote in 1822 to Timothy Pickering. But to the part containing the denunciation of King George he took exception. "I thought the expression too passionate and too much like scolding for so grave and solemn a document." Nevertheless, he had no amendment to suggest, and the draft of the declaration was put before the committee of five just as Jefferson had prepared it.

The desk upon which the declaration was drafted is in the library of the state department at Washington. It was exhibited at Buffalo in the Pan-American exposition in 1901.

The final debate in congress, in the committee of the whole, upon the adoption of the Declaration of Independence began at nine o'clock on Monday, July 1. On that day Pennsylvania, seven of whose delegates were present, voted against adoption. The vote of Delaware, having two delegates present, was divided.

Thereupon McKean of Delaware, who had voted affirmatively, wrote a frantic letter to the absent Delaware delegate, Caesar Rodney, imploring him to come and cast his vote, and thus turn the scale for Delaware, for it was highly probable that if Delaware supported the declaration Pennsylvania would follow suit.

Rodney at the time was 80 miles away, at Dover, at one or the other of his farms, Byfield and Poplar Grove. He suffered tortures from the cancer, which, starting on his nose, had spread all over one side of his face, so that he had to wear a green silk shield to hide the disfigurement; it was of this chronic affliction that he died. A contemporary chronicle describes him as "an animated skeleton—indeed, all spirit, without corporeal integument."

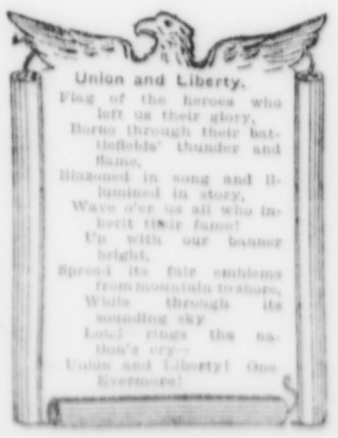
McKean's messenger left Philadelphia late in the afternoon of July 1. It was necessary to get Rodney back to Independence hall by July 4, the day appointed for taking the vote upon the adoption of the declaration. All night, all day he rode at top speed; and Rodney is supposed to have started on the return journey in the evening of the second.

That ride of Rodney's deserves to go down in history alongside of Paul Revere's and Philip Sheridan's. In default of missing detail the imagination must provide the picture of the tall, gaunt spectre of a man, half-masked and riding like a demon, urging his steed onward through the night with whip and spur, along a road abounding in pitfalls, with black miles separating one warm, yellow cabin light from the next. What was he thinking of as he rode onward? Not of the pain of the cancer, slowly eating away his countenance and sapping his vitality; not of the risk he ran, a solitary horseman, of being waylaid and robbed or murdered upon the lonely journey. He heeded not the hunger and the sleeplessness; he was thinking only of the fact that his vote would turn the day for Delaware; Delaware, though a little state, might influence Pennsylvania, and so the vote of the colonies would be unanimous for a declaration that would immortalize the men who made and signed it, and enfranchise the people of the 13 colonies and their descendants.

Next day, Thursday, July 4, as the members were assembling at the state house door, a rider, booted and spurred and covered with the dust of night-and-day travel, dismounted in their midst, and when, a little later, Caesar Rodney rose in his place, still breathing hard, and said, "I vote for independence," the result was that the vote of Delaware was cast in favor of the declaration, Pennsylvania, by three of her five delegates present, supported Delaware's action, and thus by the ride of Rodney the unanimous vote of the colonies (with the solitary and temporary exception of New York) was that day secured for the Magna Charta of our American liberties.

"It was two o'clock in the afternoon," Lossing tells us, "when the final decision was announced by Secretary Thomson. When the secretary sat down a deep silence pervaded that august assembly. Thousands of anxious citizens had gathered in the streets. From the hour when congress convened in the morning the old bellman had been in the steeple. He placed a boy at the door below to give him notice when the announcement should be made. As hour succeeded hour, the graybeard shook his head, and said, 'They will never do it! They will never do it!' Suddenly a loud shout came up from below, and there stood the blue-eyed boy, clapping his hands and shouting 'Ring! ring!' Grasping the iron tongue of the old bell, backward and forward he hurled it a hundred times, its loud voice proclaiming 'Liberty throughout all the land, unto all the inhabitants thereof.' The excited multitude in the streets responded with loud acclamations, and with cannon peals, bonfires and illuminations the patriots held glorious carnival that night in the quiet city of Penn."

Famous Old Independence Hall.



Union and Liberty.

Flag of the heroes who
left us their glory,
Borne through their battlefields' thunder and
flame,
Blazoned in song and illumined in story,
Wave o'er us all who inherit their fame!
Up with our banner
bright,
Spread its fair emblems
from mountain to shore,
While through its
sounding sky
Loud rings the nation's cry—
Union and Liberty! One
Evermore!

Latest Parasol

(Photograph by Underwood & Underwood, New York.)

A PARASOL of palm fiber (raffia) made in the alluring form of a small square tent, with a natural fringe of the woven fibers, canopy top—loop of raffia to carry on arm. It is especially adapted for sea shore and outing, as the material is indestructible and water repellent.

FOR THE SUMMER BEDROOM

Simple But Attractive Furnishings That Make the Apartment a Delight.

Summer furnishings have a charm that is quite foreign to the more pretentious appointments of winter, and every season they seem to be more attractive. The new toilet china shown is extremely decorative. The quaintly shaped little bowls are adorned with equally quaint, conventional designs, and there are lovely foreign looking copper jugs, with wicker handles, for carrying the morning hot water. Colored and white tiles or squares of glass mounted on a flowered material matching the room hangings are provided to set the pitcher of ice water upon, and if a room is to have two occupants all these fittings are to be duplicated. For fastening back the window hangings the old-fashioned brass rosette has been revived.

Speaking of bedrooms suggests breakfast, for it is becoming more and more the custom to have the first meal of the day in one's own room, and thoughtful hostesses always provide one of the charming little breakfast sets which are now so common in the shops for the guest room, along with a tray of wicker, brass or wood.

High-Necked Gowns Passe for Evening

High-necked gowns are very much out of fashion for any evening affair, although white ones with lace yokes were acceptable for the theater and informal dinners, and restaurant wear; but one does not see them any more among women who dress well.—Delineator.

TENNIS DRESS

This is a style suitable to be made up in zephyr or casement cloth; the skirt has a little fulness at waist, and is trimmed below with two folds.

The bodice is trimmed with box-plaits stitched at each edge. The Peter Pan collar and cuffs are of lawn edged with a narrow plaiting.

Chip hat with full crown of spotted muslin, surrounded by a wreath of roses.

Materials required: Eight yards 28 inches wide.

CORRECT STYLES IN GLOVES

Black Is a Color Little Seen This Season, Tints Being Given the Preference.

The new gloves show a good many innovations over products of a year ago. Except for black costumes, where an all-black scheme is desired, black gloves are little used. Plain white gloves also are less in evidence than for some time, tints having taken their place. All the soft pastel shades such as pigeon gray, fawn, biscuit and champagne are especially popular. Just now suedes are liked far better than glace kids. This is a whim of the Parisiennes, who always go in for the smartest fit for everything, and suede certainly comes under that class in the matter of gloves. With the continued shortening of sleeves, more 12-button lengths than any other style are being sold. White gloves with black stitching are popular with black and white combination costumes. For the street with the plain tailor-made broad four-row stitchings in self tones are considered the correct thing.

A Lingerie Hat.

If you get a lingerie hat this year, be sure to choose the mob cap style, with large, high crown and double ruffles around the face.

This may be quite simple or of embroidery and lace. A pretty one in sheer Persian lawn has the crown outlined with three rows of oval eyelets. The upper ruffle is edged with embroidered scallop, while the under ruffle has a row of eyelets above scallops. These frills fall far down over the face and around the high crown are drawn folds of soft ribbon, ending in a huge six-looped bow without ends at the left side.

Where one does not wish to embroider, the crown can be outlined in three rows of German valenciennes insertion, and the two ruffles finished with a row of insertion and edging of lace.

Odd Names to New Shades.

Some of the new shades have exceedingly odd names. There is pheasant displayed in a number of tones, from pale-reddish brown to a brown so deep it is almost black. Ashes of violet, a color of dull, faded purple; king's blue, a cold Japanese-looking shade, toning to brown; argent, a gray like dull silver; drake, a bluish green that is attractive, and a pale green called almond that blondes of a delicate (not colorless) type find becoming. Chantecler is a rich, deep pink, almost red.

A Shining Nose.

Summer is a sorry time for the woman with nose shines. She usually resorts to powder, which coarsens the pores, or she mops with alcohols, which dries up the skin.

Instead of these, try bathing the nose with hot water, in which a teaspoonful of powdered borax has been dissolved to each pint.

Wiping the surface of nose with a soft flannel or piece of silk keeps down the shine. Do not rub hard or redness results.

Rubbers in Fancy Bag.

The traveler may not know that rubbers can be fitted into gay little plaid silk bags that are lined with rubber and fastened over with a pearl clamp. They are only about five inches long and take up so little room in a bag or a trunk that it is not worth measuring. A woman will not hesitate to travel around with her rubbers even in a dress suitcase when they are done up in such an attractive form.

AT A CRITICAL PERIOD

Of Peculiar Interest to Women.

Mrs. Mary I. Remington, Eigleberry St. Gilroy, Cal., says: "I suffered so severely from pain and soreness over the kidneys that it was a task for me to turn over in bed. My kidneys acted very frequently, but the secretions were retarded and the passages scalded. I was weak and run down. After taking other remedies without benefit, I began using Doan's Kidney Pills and was permanently cured. I was going through the critical period of a woman's life at that time and after using Doan's Kidney Pills there was a miraculous change for the better in my health."

Remember the name—Doan's.

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Natural.

"And did your wife die a natural death?"

"Oh, yes. She was talking when the end came."

When Rubbers Become Necessary

And your shoes pinch, shake into your shoes Allen's Foot-Ease, the antiseptic powder for the feet. Cures tired, aching feet and takes the sting out of Corns and Bunions. Always use it for Breaking in New shoes and for dancing parties. Sold everywhere 25c. Sample mailed FREE. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

How About "Lift Thine Eyes?"

The English Tourist—Excuse me, my friend and I cannot agree as to the name of that range of hills. Can you tell—

The Scot (severely)—Mon, the Sawbath is na the day for speiring hills whatever!—Sketch.

Resinol Ointment Is Used In Every Country of the World as the Best Remedy for Itching Piles.

I was terribly annoyed with Itching Piles for twenty-five years. I found such great relief with the first application of Resinol Ointment that in future I would not think of being without it. An occasional application is all that is necessary.
Christopher Holmes, Brookline, Mass.

An Embryo Emancipator.

A little miss riding on a Brooklyn trolley car the other day tendered the conductor half fare. "How old are you, little girl?" he queried, gingerly handling her fare.

She pursed her lips for a moment, then calmly opened her purse, dropped two more pennies into the conductor's extended palm, snapped her purse and demurely replied: "You have your fare, sir; my statistics are my own!"

Would Mean a Better Show.

"Johnny," said the teacher, "here is a book. Now, stand up straight and sing like a little man."

The song was "Nearer, My God." No sooner had the school commenced to sing than a little girl waved her hand frantically. Stopping the singing, the teacher inquired the cause.

"Please, teacher, I think Johnny will get nearer if he whistles."—Judge.

Up in the Air.

"I have been at the top of Pike's Peak, which is more than 14,000 feet above sea level. What was the greatest height you ever reached?"

"I don't know just what the altitude was, but it must have been much greater than that which you mention. I made the ascent shortly after I had stepped with my bare feet on a bumble bees' nest."

Casey at the Jet.

"What's this I hear about Casey?" asked McGinnis.

"He's been trying to asphyxiate himself," said O'Reilly.

"G'wan! What did he do?"

"He lit every gas jet in the house and sat down and waited."—Everybody's.

A DOCTOR'S EXPERIENCE

Medicine Not Needed In This Case.

It is hard to convince some people that coffee does them an injury! They lay their bad feelings to almost every cause but the true and unsuspected one.

But the doctor knows. His wide experience has proven to him that to some systems, coffee is an insidious poison that undermines the health.

Ask the doctor if coffee is the cause of constipation, stomach and nervous trouble.

"I have been a coffee drinker all my life. I am now 42 years old and when taken sick two years ago with nervous prostration, the doctor said that my nervous system was broken down and that I would have to give up coffee.

"I got so weak and shaky I could not work, and reading your advertisement of Postum, I asked my grocer if he had any of it. He said: 'Yes,' and that he used it in his family, and it was all it claimed to be.

"So I quit coffee and commenced to use Postum steadily and found in about two weeks' time I could sleep soundly at night and get up in the morning feeling fresh. In about two months I began to gain flesh. I weighed only 146 pounds when I commenced on Postum, and now I weigh 167 and feel better than I did at 20 years of age.

"I am working every day and sleep well at night. My two children were great coffee drinkers, but they have not drank any since Postum came into the house, and are far more healthy than they were before."

Read "The Road to Wellville," found in pkgs. "There's a reason."

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Taft's Good Harvest.

President Taft can view the prospective adjournment of Congress, like a harvester in the field of a phenomenal yield. As those discerning friends of the administration who from the first sized up the President as a synonym for effectiveness affirmed, he has made good. He has given the country legislation pressed down and running over. The close of the session will witness practically every measure for which Mr. Taft stood enacted and entered upon the statute books. When it is considered that the tendency for the administration's past has been to place to the record of a president some one leading measure, the number and importance of the measures passed through the steadfast insistence of Mr. Taft upon the fulfillment of the pledges of the party is remarkable. The keynote of the administration has been "good faith," says the Baltimore American, one of the most able as well as conservative journals. The President has not sought to project his personality into the spirit of his times. He has not sought to acquire a reputation for domination; he has never given the personal equation a thought; he has simply declared that the platform which he was largely responsible in framing, and upon which he successfuly stood for the presidency, would be carried out It must not be an instrument honored in the breach. Very simple, very stright forward, but no other kind of appeal could have been half so effective. What did this kind of policy effect? It is to be borne in mind that the new President found the legislative body suspicious of executive encroachments and Congress dominated by a few men, valuable and forceful leaders of the old school. Mr. Taft had the alternative of allying himself with the regulars or the new-school insurgents. He did neither. He simply insisted that Congress should get together for work, and to this end he bent his energies, with the result that after one or two insurgent skirmishes, with some success, the body did get together. The endeavor to make Mr. Taft a scapegoat for the divided condition of the legislative body that was reflected somewhat in the Middle West was futile. Mr. Taft knew neither regular nor insurgent. He stood for the platform and repeated again and again, "Keep Faith." None dared to answer that appeal by disregard of party pledges with the reckoning that must surely come. As a result the President was kept free from the wrangling of ambitious leaders and the mess of pretense that was being served up in some of the magazines as forecasts of the divisions and disinteregrations that would follow the so-called Taft supineness. Mr. Taft cared nothing about the groundling clamor; he simply stood on and by the platform.

Thus it happens that instead of one paramount measure Mr. Taft will have to his credit as the result of the extra session of the present session of Congress a Tariff measure that defies successful attack, a railroad bill that for the first time sets forth a Magna Charta of popular rights with respect to the transportation companies. While giving the people protection from wrongful exactions, manipulation of railroad interests and the juggling of rates, it does so in the direction of the organization of a body of transportation of adjudication of the most excellent type. It is a law-and-order move. The American at the beginning of the insistence of Taft for his measures pointed out that his administration was a reign of law, a position that as then defined received approbation in the conservative circles of finance and business. Mr. Taft has created no excitement; he has put no panic ferment into the loaf of domestic prosperity. The Railroad Bill is radical—concededly so—but it is not immoderate; it is radical only by comparison, and not in any feature of impracticability. Its action will benefit the railroads, the shippers and the public.

The Postal Savings Bank Bill is a triumph of the first magnitude against the contentions set up against it. Those who believe that it was purely a buncombe measure have had their eyes opened. It will be one of the constructive measures of national breadth to the credit of the adminstration. It will lead to popular saving and strengthen the monetary stability of the country. The Statehood Bill as finally passed will be increasingly regarded as a measure of justice, adding to the dignity of the community of American States. The Conservation Bill is rational, conservative and constructive. Despite the fuss and fury of the investigation Mr. Taft has gone ahead to have passed a bill that will do much to make practical the subject by giving legal warrant and legal process, as well as legal check and certification in relation to disposition of the public domain. The Tariff Board has been made an effective body, and will prove of service to the country in the increasing complexity of tariff duties upon articles of import. Such are some of the measures that will make Mr. Taft famous and that will mark his administration as the constructive, economic administration of an out-and-out legalist, who in the lesser matters of the mint and cumin does not lose sight of the weightier concerns of the law and judgment.

Signals of Distress.

Emporium Readers Should Know How to Read and Heed Them

Sick kidneys give many signals of distress.

The secretions are dark, contain a sediment.

Passages are frequent, scanty, painful.

Backache is constant day and night.

Headache and dizzy spells are frequent.

The weakened kidneys need quick help.

Don't delay! Use a special kidney remedy.

Doan's Kidney Pills cure sick kidneys, backache and urinary disorders.

Emporium evidence proves this statement.

Mrs. Anna Zimmet, Fourth Street, Emporium, Pa., says: "Ten years ago I procured Doan's Kidney Pills at Taggart's Drug Store and found them to be a reliable kidney medicine. I shall always recommend this preparation when I have the opportunity."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents Foster Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

What Tonics Are.

When the papers are full of advertisements for this or that great tonic, people are apt to be tempted to try them, but it does not take long to discover that after all there is nothing equal to Sexine Pills for any form of nerve weakness in men and women. We seldom find anybody who can say he or she was cured by this or that wine, extract or liquor, but almost any one can testify to the great nerve and body-building qualities of Sexine Pills. Sexine Pills are absolutely guaranteed. Each box has a cash coupon in it. They cost $1 a box, 6 boxes for $5. Four months' treatment for $5. Sold by R. C. Dodson, Emporium, Pa., where they sell all the principal remedies and do not substitute.

The July Metropolitan.

The July METROPOLITAN is a "Roosevelt number," with a striking cover cartoon of the ex-president and a leading article, "Lo! The Conquering Hero," in which Walter Wellman offers an interesting explanation of how and why Roosevelt captured Europe. An article that will cause a sensation is 'The Capitalization of Amateur Athletics," by James B. Connolly, a barehanded attack on the methods of the Amateur Athletic Union and its business connection with the Spaldings. A third article of equally strong appeal to a different class of readers is Professor Munsterberg's "The Educational Unrest," a thoughtful and lucid account of the educational problem in our colleges and schools. "An American Museum of Safety" describes a new movement for safeguarding the lives of workingmen. Some glimpses of the little-known personality of Chas. Frohman are furnished by George Henry Payne, and W. H Collinwood continues his series of little essays on country life with "Summer Boarders.'. James Oppenheim has written one of his strongest stories in "Joan of the Mills," and "Corporal Ranie," by John R. Ellyson is a war-time episode of rare pathos and beauty. Other contributors are George S. Chappell, Katherine Holland Brown and Richard Wightman.

Good Piano for Sale.

A Bradbury Piano (square) in good condition.
Apply at PRESS office. 37-tf.

Penrose's Predicts 200,000 Majority.

WASHINGTON, D. C., JUNE 28.—Senator Penrose, who came to Washinnton for the adjournment of Congress, having been absent for some time on account of illness, returned home last evening. He will take his usual summer outing in Montana, but will be back in Philadelphia for the opening of the campaign, about the first of September. The Republican State committee's headquarters to Philadelphia will open for active work on September 1.

Members of Congress and others with whom Senator Penrose talked during his stay here say that he predicts one of the largest majorities Pennsylvania has ever given for a State ticket. The Senator, they say, mentions 200,000 as in round numbers the majority he expects to see. He is also quoted as saying that the excellent administration of President Taft will be approved in the return in Congress of a Republican member for at least every district now represented by a Republican.

Dreadnaught Cars.

According to an announcement made to-day, the Pennsylvania Railroad System has in service on its lines, or on order, nearly two thousand passenger cars of all steel construction. These cars have been added to the Company's passenger equipment since June, 1906, when it was announced that all future additions to passenger equipment on the Pennsylvania System would be of all steel construction.

The Lines of the Pennsylvania System, on all of which steel cars will be operated, include the Pennsylvania Railroad Lines East and West of Pittsburg and Erie, the Long Island Railroad, the Cumberland Valley Railroad, the New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk Railroad, the Vandalia Railroad, and the Grand Rapids & Indiana Railway.

The Pullman Company is at present constructing a sufficient number of steel sleeping and parlor cars to equip the entire Pennsylvania System. These cars are now being delivered at the rate of from 50 to 60 a month. Already there are in service on through trains 75 sleepers, and 5 combined parlor and baggage cars. When the present order is completed there will be in service on the Pennsylvania System some 600 all-steel Pullman cars; this number is included in the 1988 cars now in use or on order.

The steel passenger cars on the Pennsylvania System have been called "Dreadnaught" cars by reason of their construction. They weigh some 118,500 pounds as against 85,000 pounds in the standard vestibule wooden coach. This increase in weight very greatly reduces the vibration of the car, thereby adding to the comfort of passengers. The car is noncollapsible, its principal feature being a central box girder twenty-four inches wide by nineteen inches deep extending throughout the entire length of the coach; this girder, in collisions, prevents telescoping. The car is fireproof, containing only about 125 pounds of wood; the latter is used for window frames and arm rests in the seats.

In the steel equipment now in service, there are 457 coaches, 22 dining cars, 34 passenger and baggage cars, 23 baggage, 78 postal and 80 Pullman cars. In addition to these there are on order or under construction at the present time, 502 steel coaches, 28 steel dining cars, 83 passenger and baggage cars, 83 baggage, 39 postal, 28 baggage and mail, 1 combination motor car, and some 520 Pullman cars.

With the 704 steel cars in use at present, and the 1,284 cars on order, the Pennsylvania System will shortly have available for use on its lines East and West of Pittsburg and Erie a total of 1,900 solid steel passenger equipment cars.

Council Proceedings.

Proceedings of Emporium Borough Council, regular meeting held Monday evening, June 27, 1910.

Members present: Messrs. Howard, Haupt, Foster, Pearsall, Mumford and Norris.

Absent: Messrs Rishel, Cummings and Spencer.

Moved by Mr. Howard, seconded by Mr. Mumford, that resignation of C. W. Rishell, Councilman from West Ward, be accepted.

Communication was read from M. F. Hamilton.

On motion of Mr. Norris, seconded by Mr. Mumford, communication of M. F. Hamilton was laid on the table for further investigation.

Moved by Mr. Pearsall, seconded by Mr. Howard that an order for $1,450, be drawn on the treasurer to pay Costello & Neagle on their contract of the surface water sewer. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Howard, seconded by Mr. Haupt, that H. H. Mullin be appointed to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of C. W. Rishell. Carried.

Council then adjourned to meet in regular session, Monday evening, July 4, 1910.

C. E. CRANDELL,
Secretary.

Independence Day Disasters.

Independence Day is coming; day of powder-poisoning and lockjaw; day of hospitals and ambulances; day of mutilation and fire and death.

If there is anything that is sane in the American people it is the growing revolt against our insane manner of celebrating the Fourth of July. It might be called "Incendiaries' Day"; for on that day the fire fiend runs riot. No man having any public responsibility fails to dread it. No fire department gets through the day, and the nights on both sides of it, without exhaustion. It is doubtful if on some fifth of July an entire city may not complacently burn itself up in the faces of firemen and fire horses too exhausted by silly firecracker fires the day before to cope with it. The fire-fighting apparatus of our cities and towns is so over-taxed by the numberless calls which begin on the evening of July 3rd that response to possible summons for help by neighboring towns or cities is impossible. What fire chief would dare allow even a hose wagon to go beyond immediate recall while alarms in his own city are coming in at ten-minute intervals? Even the large number of false alarms, due to the reckless use of the day, have their dire significance, for they tire out the horses and the men, and reduce the ability of the department to cope with actual fires. When the gong begins to ring at headquarters, its call is as imperative for a rubbish heap ablaze as it is for the home of a citizen. The wear and tear of the apparatus, and even the injury to the horses during thirty-six hours of almost constant runs, may be as great for false alarms as for real ones. It seems a sort of folly almost too unspeakable to relate, but there are instances where American firemen have been killed in runs to fires on July 4th by being thrown from trucks by frightened horses swerving from their course at explosives thrown under them as they galloped past.

Never an "Independence" Day but scores of human beings are made *dependent* for life. Life and limb are jeopardized by explosives thrown from windows above the level of the street, setting fire to clothing and menacing the eye-sight of those passing, while upon the child, who in his innocent love of noise and objective demonstration responds to our present absurd kind of celebration, falls the heavy hand of disaster. When our civilization was not so complex, it was possible for those who had the courage to leave their homes to the mercy of possible conflagrations, to shut them up and escape to the quiet of the country. Not so to-day. The trolley car and the automobile follow the seeker after peace to his country retreats, throwing explosives at his head as they rear past in their reckless irresponsibility.

And for what? Nobody stops to inquire. Nobody any longer cares. We have gotten wholly away from the educational significance of "Independence" Day, and lost ourselves in an orgy of fire and noise.

It is, perhaps, too much to expect any sudden return to sanity; but some effort at least may be made by cities and towns toward leading their people into more moderate and more intelligent forms of celebration. If explosives must be used the authorities can limit their use to the public parks during certain hours of the day, where the folly-hunters may kill and maim themselves and each other to heart's content, without injuring other people, or destroying property by fire. The firing off of explosives among the closely built shingle-roofed frame houses, which compose the greater part of our cities, is wholly in accord with the reckless spirit of Americans regarding fire.

If before every Fourth of July all cities and towns were given a thorough cleaning of rubbish, and all use of explosives then restricted as to time and place, the police and public wardens might have at least a fighting chance to minimize the disastrous results of our public folly during the years it may require to inspire in our people a desire for a rational kind of celebration. And such a desire must be inspired. It is the duty of every city to arrange for its people suitable amusements or exercises definitely calculated to educate them in a raticnal observance of this historic holiday. Habits of folly can be most easily eliminated by a substitution of something better. The things a city can do to interest its citizens in a sane and wholesome celebration are unlimited, and the municipalities which, in the past two years have taken steps in this direction, are already receiving national praise for their wisdom and their high sense of civic responsibility.

Independence Day of 1910 is coming. To what city, what town, what mother or father is it this year to bring suffering or sorrow the day after?

June, 1910.

Contractor.

The undersigned is prepared to contract for all kinds of brick, stone, concrete and mason work. Having given ten years to the work prior to coming to Emporium, am prepared to give satisfaction. Give me a call.

7-tf. W. H. FLINT.

Local news on every page.

Lost.

Tuesday night, between Sixth and Fourth st., on Broad, a sum of money. If the finder, who was seen pick up the money at corner of Fourth and Broad, will promply return it to PRESS office he will be suitably rewarded.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our thanks to our friends and neighbors of Canoe Run and Emporium who so kindly assisted us during the sickness and death of our daughter, Lillian. Also for floral offerings.

MR. AND MRS. P. D. WALSH.
Canoe Run, Pa., June 29th. 1910.

Sewing Circle Entertained.

Last Thursday evening, Miss Lena Coyle entertained the Girl's Sewing Circle at her home, on Fourth Street. The pleasant gatherings are weekly festivities and the "happy bunch" is composed of some of Emporium's most popular young ladies. During the course of the evening dainty refreshments were served. All present had a fine time.

For Sale.

Cabbage plants at twenty-five cents per hundred. Apply to G. B. Shearer, South Pine street, Emporium, Pa. 19-2t

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD

AEROPLANE RACES

AVIATION WEEK AT ATLANTIC CITY

It is not a far cry back to "Darius Green and his flyin' machine" when aerial navigation was considered impossible.

To-day Atlantic City is preparing for a great Aviation Meet from July 2 to 11, when three of the greatest flyers of the modern world will demonstrate their mastery of the air.

Glenn H. Curtiss, the holder of the world's record for speed, will fly daily from July 4 to 11.

Walter E. Brookins, who holds the record for high flying, will give exhibitions July 7 to 11 in a Wright aeroplane.

This is the first contest between the Wright and Curtiss machines.

It is also expected that Charles K. Hamilton, the great long distance aviator will be present and race from July 7 to 11.

There will be prize events each day, including a fifty-mile flight over a five mile circular course, and prize high flying, July 7 to 11, directly over the beach front and ocean.

The Pennsylvania Railroad is the direct route to Atlantic City, and excursion tickets are on sale from all points. Connections are made in Broad Street Station, Philadelphia, with trains over the Delaware River Bridge, all-rail route.

556-20-1t.

SAY

DO YOU KNOW WHO I AM?
WELL IF YOU DON'T, ASK SOMEBODY.

I'VE COME HERE TO STAY A FEW YEARS AND TELL YOU WHERE TO BUY HARDWARE AND THINGS.

I'LL DO SOMETHING DIFFRENT EACH WEEK. LOTS OF MY YOUNG FRIENDS ARE GOING TO CUT ME OUT OF THE PAPER EACH WEEK AND MAKE A SCRAP BOOK. YOU'LL FIND THIS LOTS OF FUND.

The Most Complete Line of Hardware

Never has our establishment been better able to meet the demands of the trade than at present. We have the largest and most complete line of everything that should be found in a first-class Hardware store. Drop in and see us—no harm done if you do not purchase.

F. V. HEILMAN & CO.

Next door to Geo. J. LaBar's Furniture Store.

MANY GRIP VICTIMS

Just now many grip victims are troubled by an obstinate cough. Dodson's White Pine and Spruce will positively relieve that particular after grip hacking.

Dodson's Drug Store.

LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Contributions invited. That which you would like to see in this department, let us know by postal card, letter or personally.

Mrs. B. W. Green continues to improve.

J. H. Drum, of Sinnamahoning, transacted business in town last Thursday.

Miss Kate Market spent Sunday evening guest of her parents at Beechwood.

Dawson Wright went to Williamsport Saturday, where he will visit relatives.

John McFadden, of Cameron, was in town on Saturday and made the PRESS a social call.

E. E. Breene, the obliging clerk at Hotel Warner, spent Sunday visiting friends at Erie.

Charles E Leutze spent Sunday evening at Ridgway, between trains, visiting friends.

Rev. J. L. Bogue, wife and children, spent the last of the week visiting relatives at Punxsutawney.

Mrs. Elizabeth Vallis, of Cameron, was in Emporium last Friday afternoon, en route for St. Marys.

Mrs. Joseph Holcomb was guest of her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Kline, at Sinnamahoning, last Sunday.

Miss Nell Stephens, of Coudersport, was guest at the home of Henry Auchu and family, the last of the week.

C. C. Rees and wife, of Coudersport, were in Emporium last Thursday and were guests at Hotel Warner.

Miss Julia Bair, of this place, is spending some time at Olean, guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. Rose Lupold.

Owen McCarthy train master at Renovo, was a business caller at Emporium, last Friday afternoon, between trains.

Mrs. George Neidlinger, of Ridgway, spent Sunday in Emporium, guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Weisenfluh and family.

Mrs. A. T. Swartwood, who has been spending the week guest of her son, W. S. Swartwood and family, has returned to her home at Sinnamahoning.

Misses Margaret and Cecelia Costley, who have been guests at the home of Joseph Freindel and family. South Maple street, have returned to their home at Kane.

C. H. Cordie, chemist at the Cameron Powder plant, at Sinnamahoning, spent the week's end in Emporium, guest at the home of Fred Seger and wife, East Allegany Ave.

A. S. Zaner and son, of Morgantown, W. Va., who have been visiting at the home of Mr. Zaner's mother, Mrs. Potter at Cameron, visited in Emorium last Thursday and made our sanctum a call.

Miss Louisa Welsh and Miss Ethel Lloyd, of this place, departed for Clarion, Pa., last Friday to be present at the Commencement exercises. The young ladies will also visit friends at Pittsburg and other western points before returning home.

Harry Anderson, the popular night clerk at Hotel Warner, expects to leave on Friday to spend the "ever glorious" visiting with his parents at Wilcox. Mr. Anderson has only been in Emporium a short time but has made many friends and is very popular with all.

Charles Robinson, who has capably filled the position as bell boy at Hotel Warner for the past year, has resigned and will go to Warren, Pa., where he will learn the trade of machinist Charles is all O. K. and will be greatly missed by the traveling public as well as by his host of friends. We wish him success.

George Lane, of Dents Run, spent Sunday, at this place.

Miss Sadie Edwards spent Sunday at Renovo, visiting friends.

Miss Mabel Butler spent Wednesday visiting friends at Johnsonburg.

Mrs. W. H. G. Walker, of Calder, spent Saturday, shopping at this place.

Mrs. Olve Yager, Olean, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Malloy, over Sunday.

L. C. Summerson, of Sterling Run, transacted business at the county seat, last Monday.

Elmer Hill, of Driftwood, was among the people who transacted business at Emporium, last Saturday.

Mrs. Richard Kuehne is spending a short time with relatives at Buffalo, Niagara Falls and Detroit.

Dr. Anderson and wife, of Altoona, are guests at the home of the former's parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Anderson.

Mrs. C. E. Crandell went to DuBois, Wednesday afternoon and is guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Elizabeth Miller.

Mrs. O. L. Bailey, of Sinnamahoning, was shopping at Emporium, Tuesday and was guest at the City Hotel.

Carroll Mumford, clerk in the Franklin House, St. Marys, spent Sunday in town, the guest of his parents, at East Emporium.

A. S. Heck, one of Potter County's popular lawyers, was in Emporium last Thursday, and was guest at Hotel Warner.

Gust Kraft, of St. Marys, was guest at the home of his brother, Henry Kraft and family, Fifth street, on Wednesday.

E. A. Yeager, son of Mr. Henry Yeager, departed for Buffalo, Monday morning, from which place he will go to Denver, Col.

Dr. J. W. Snyder, deputy U. S. Marshal, of Scranton, transacted business in Emporium on Tuesday. He called at the PRESS office.

D. H. Robertson, assistant superintendent at the Penn Vitrified Brick Co., Cameron, was a business caller at this place, Wednesday.

Miss Margaret Crandell returned to Emporium Monday afternoon from Williamsport, where she had been visiting relatives and friends.

Don. C. Minick, of Ridgway, spent Sunday in Emporium, guest of his friend, Charles A. Lambert, chemist of the U. S. Geological Survey.

E. J Powell, of Scranton, Pa., lamp inspector of the Lackawanna Railroad Company, was a business caller at this place, during the past week.

Miss Nina Hertig left this (Thursday) morning for Coudersport, where she will be guest at the home of her aunt, Mrs. James McConeghy.

Mrs. S. Gordan McGiffin, of Beaver Falls, Pa., is spending the week, guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Hertig and family.

Herman Bruner, of Buffalo, formerly bookkeeper at the Penn Vitrified Brick Works, is expected to spend this coming week with friends at Emporium.

Wilson Berry, of Sterling Run, was a business caller at the county seat last Saturday and made the PRESS office a a business call. Mr. Berry added his name to our subscription list.

Everett Pierson is spending the week at his home at Vineland, N. J., where he officiated in the capacity of "best man" at his brother's wedding, which took place Wednesday.

Joseph Butler and wife, of Port Allegany, were guests at the home of the former's brother, Charles Butler and family at Commercial Hotel, South Broad street, last Monday.

We notice in Lock Haven Daily Express, that Mr. Ezra B. Smith, a former resident and teacher in Cameron county schools, was a graduate class member of Lock Haven Normal.

Mrs. J. Bruner and daughter, of More Hill, were PRESS callers on Tuesday. After renewing their PRESS for another year they watched and seemed interested in the movement of our presses.

Misses Elsie and Hilda Kuehne departed this (Thursday) morning for Buffalo and Niagara Falls, where they will spend the next six weeks, visiting relatives and friends

Arthur R. Catlin is contemplating taking a trip to Buffalo and other places in that vicinity, next Saturday, and will be absent over the "Ever Glorious Fourth."

Ara Hurst, of Lock Haven, arrived in town Tuesday and has accepted the place in the Blizzler barber parlors, recently resigned by Joseph McQuaide, who is now at Jersey Shore.

Miss Clara Beckwith, who has just completed a course in languages at Syracuse, N. Y., is spending the summer, guest of her sister, Mrs. J. L. Bogue, West Fourth street. Miss Beckwith will teach French, German and Latin in the Olean High School this coming school year.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Brink, of Limbert, Ga., and Mr. and Mrs. E D. Keltz, of Canton, Pa., who have been spending a short time, guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. McKay, Clear Creek, were in Emporium last Saturday, accompanied by their host and hostess The visitors were en-route for their homes.

Mrs. Geo. Wykoff, of Bradford, is visiting friends in town.

Edw. White returned yesterday from a business trip to Buffalo and Pittsburg.

Mrs. Ed. Barker and childen of Ishpeming, Mich., are visiting friends in town.

Miss Blanchard of Driftwood is visiting her sister, Mrs. Cash Henry, for a few days at West Fourth Street.

Judge Huntley came up from Driftwood on Tuesday to transact business, as Treasurer of Cameron Powder M'f'g Co.

John Catlin, wife and son Jay, of Renovo, were guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Catlin, Fifth street, over Sunday.

Miss Minnie Losey, of Mina, Pa., visited in Emporium last Wednesday and Thursday, guest of Mrs. Belle Beattie and family, 6th and Maple streets.

Miss Bessie McQuay and Messrs. Will Welsh, Eugene and Karl Metz have returned to their homes at this place, from Clarion State Normal School.

Miss Alice Montgomery, niece of Judge and Mrs. B. W. Green, was suddenly taken seriously ill last Sunday, we are pleased to announce has almost entirely recovered.

Miss Florence Moyer, of Renovo, was guest at the home of Thomas Cummings and family, South Broad street, during the past week, returning to her home this (Thursday) morning.

Messrs J. VonLengerke and J. P. Newman, of New York City, were business callers at Emporium on Wednesday and attended the meeting of the consolidated powder companies.

Charles Papazoni, who has been at Burmingham, Ala., for the past several months, is expected to visit with Emporium friends during the coming week.

Prof. Jas Coleman, Division Supt., of Schools in Province of Cebu, P. I., and Dr. Corbett, of Driftwood, were pleasant callers this morning. Regret it is too late for a description of his work.

Richard Kuehne, the enterprising Fourth Street dry goods merchant, was a business caller at Buffalo and Niagara Falls last Sunday and Monday and attended a big sale during his absence.

Mrs. Chas. Diehl, of Cleveland, O. accompanied by a professional nurse, arrived at the home of the former's parents, Hon. and Mrs. Geo. J. LaBar, West Fifth street, last week. The lady has been in a very serious condition but is better as we go to press.

Congressman Barclay in Town.

Congressman Chas. F. Barclay, arrived in Emporium on Tuesday, accompanied by his nephew, Watson L Barclay, of Laquin, Pa., to transact business and visit with friends. He hopes to pass considerable time here, hoping the climate may be beneficial to his health. Mr. Barclay's record in Congress has been clean and honorable and none regret more than ye editor that his health compelled his retirement at a time when he was very useful to his country. Right here we desire our citizens to know what one Congressman from this state thought of Capt. Barclay's heroic effort to serve his people while very ill. Congressman John K. Tener, of Washington-Beaver District, (the Republican nominee for Governor) remarked to ye editor, while attending the Republican State Convention, "I know Mr. Barclap well and consider him a hero."

Will Return Home.

Mr Jos. Burnett, who went to Grafton, to take charge of the powder works there, will arrive in Emporium on Saturday or Sunday to resume his position as Supt. of Keystone Powder Co., at this place.

DEATH'S DOINGS.

WALSH.

MISS LILLIAN OLIVE, daughter of Perry D. and Mary C. Walsh, of Canoe Run, died at the hospital at Lock Haven, last Thursday, the result of an operation for appendicitis. The remains were brought to Emporium on train No. 9, arriving here at 5:18 Friday morning and were taken to the home of her aunt, Mrs. D. W. Ensign, on West Fourth Street. On Saturday morning, the funeral services were conducted at the house by the Rev. J. F. Anderson, pastor of the M. E. Church, after which the remains were taken to Brockwayville, Pa., on the 10:30 train and laid to rest in the family plot in Wildwood Cemetery, on Sunday afternoon, the Rev. Jelbart officiating at the services.

Miss Walsh was only in her 14th year and was a general favorite. Her death is a sad blow to her devoted parents and her many friends. She had been ailing for about a week but was not confined to her bed She was taken to the hospital Wednesday afternoon, where an operation for appendicitis was performed that evening. Peritonitis set in next morning and she died at 2:00 P. M.

She is survived by her parents, one brother and one sister. The deceased was a favorite with all who knew her, being of an affectionate disposition. She made friends of all. The many floral offerings gave evidence of the esteem in which she was held.

The PRESS extends sympathy to the bereaved family.

Attended Great Sale.

Mr. R. Kuehne, our up-to-date Fourth Street dry goods merchant, attended the big wholesale sale, at Buffalo, on Monday. Of course his customers will reap the great bargains he secured.

EMPORIUM

MILLING COMPANY.

Victory

on the glorious 4th can be attained in your bread making by using the Pet Grove flour. Your loaves will be richly flavored, white, light and delicious enough to tempt the Fourth of July appetite of Uncle Jam when enjoying his birthday feast. When you want a delightful treat try bread made from Pet Grove flour.

PRICE LIST.

Emporium, Pa., June 6, 1910.

NEMOPHILA, per sack		$1 50
Feit's Fancy,	"	1 60
Pet Grove,	"	1 60
Roller Meal	"	50
Rye	"	70
Graham,	"	75
Buckwheat,	"	75
Buckwheat, 10 lb sack,		50
Coarse Meal per 100,		1 45
Chop Feed,	"	1 45
Cracked Corn per 100		1 45
White Middlings,		1 60
Bran,		1 40
Chicken Wheat	"	2 00
Screenings	"	1 45
Oil Meal	"	1 90
Corn, per bushel,		80
White Oats, per bushel,		53
Oyster Shells, per 100		75
Sterling Chick Feed		2 00
Sterling Scratch Feed		1 90
Daisy Dairy Feed,		1 50
Calf Meal, 50lb bag		1 50
Alfalfa Meal,		1 55
Cottonseed Meal,		1 95
Mammoth Clover Seed, per bu.		9 50
Medium Clover Seed,	"	9 50
Alsyke Clover Seed,	"	9 50
Timothy Seed,	"	2 75
German Millet Seed,	"	2 25
Seed Buckwheat, Silver Hull, per bu.		1 00
Seed Buckwheat, Japanese, per bu.		1 60
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SYNOPSIS.

Frederick Hardy, a fashionable Boston society man, lost his wealth, was jilted by a girl and sent by a friend to take charge of an American Trading Company store in Russia. On his journey through Japan he met Stapleton Neville, supposedly an Englishman. They agreed to go together to Russia. Because of suspicious circumstances they were several times molested by the Japanese. Hardy was arrested and found upon his person were papers showing maps of Jap forts. Hardy was proven guiltless. On a train he met Aisome Sano, daughter of a Jap merchant. In Neville's shoes Jap found pictures of forts, proving him to be a Russian spy. Hardy departed for Russia on a steamer, which was wrecked shortly afterward. He was rescued by a Russian steamer. On reaching Vladivostok he was well treated. He started for Siberia, meeting Princess Romanovna on the train. Hardy boarded a vessel for Amur. Hardy showed the princess his expertness as a rifle shot. The steamer was stranded. The princess and her maid were attacked by Chinese. Hardy saved their lives. The princess thanked Hardy for his heroism. Manchurians fired upon the craft. Hardy slew their chief. Burning arrows were hurled upon the Pushkin's decks. An attempt was made to board the vessel. The attacking Chinese were repulsed. Romanoff sneered at Hardy's solicitude for the princess. Stanka a messenger, sent for help, was nailed to a cross on the shore. To put an end to the awful torture Hardy himself put Stanka out of his misery, taking his own life in his hands. Forest fires menaced the vessel. Hardy volunteered to go for help. Refused permission he jumped overboard and started to swim with the princess' distress message. Romanoff was angry at Hardy for his brave efforts to rescue the princess. He wooed her in his own savage way. He said Hardy had made love openly to a Japanese girl. Help came and the princess was rescued. Hardy journeyed on a raft. Arriving at his destination he took charge of the trading company's business. Hardy received a letter from a social leader in Boston and another from Aisome. Hardy took lessons in Russian of a Jew, thus connecting himself in a way with that race. Hardy received a letter from the princess, thanking him for his bravery. Hardy's teacher was in danger of death. He employed Wang as a servant. Hardy went to Moscow, where he was invited to call upon the princess. He started for the palace home of Princess Romanovna. Hardy aroused unaccountable jealousy of his Korean boy by announcing that he was going to call on the princess. He engaged a cabman who drove him to a large house on a poorly lighted street. After entering the house, Hardy discovered that it was a resort of nihilists who supposed he was Felix Hulin, come to tell them of a powerful explosive he had discovered. The real Hulin arrived and denounced Hardy as an impostor. The nihilists determined to kill Hardy in order to protect themselves. Finding an unloaded revolver in his overcoat pocket, he pointed it at Hulin's bomb, which lay on the table, and swore to blow them all up together if they touched him. Holding the nihilists at bay, Hardy started to leave the room when the police were heard at the outer door. Hulin threw his bomb, killing several policemen, the nihilists fled and Baruch the Jew, suddenly appeared and led Hardy to the cellar. Baruch conducted Hardy through an underground passage to another house, from which he boldly emerged and returned to his hotel. Hardy visited the princess, contributed to the fund for the relief of the victims of the nihilists. He gave more than Romanoff had. The latter, entering the room, openly insulted him. Romanoff struck Hardy, who challenged him to a duel. The Russian accepted. Preparations for the duel were made.

CHAPTER XXXV.—Continued.

Romanoff was handsome as a god, brave, masterful, impetuous, of high birth; the sort of man, it seemed to Hardy, to appeal to a woman like the princess.

"And I," he laughed, bitterly, "am a merchant here in her autocratic and aristocratic Russia—a merchant who owes her sufferance of me to the fact that I can shoot straight!"

He said nothing that night to Wang of the impending duel, but the boy seemed aware that some danger threatened his master, or that the latter was gravely troubled about something. Although told several times, kindly, to go to bed, he returned as often, and hovered about Hardy. Indeed, Wang responded to Hardy's moods with that delicacy of understanding sometimes seen in a dog for its master, or a woman for the man she loves.

"Well, Wang," said Hardy at last, "you may sit up all night if you choose, but I, for one, am going to get some sleep. Good night!"—and he retired to his own room.

He began to undress slowly and absentmindedly, standing for long minutes motionless in the middle of the floor, or dropping into a chair, in deep thought, as though he were confronted by some weighty problem that he could not solve. He turned off the light at last and crept into bed, but he was destined to be again disturbed by Wang, who tapped timidly at the door.

"That boy is becoming a nuisance!" he muttered; "there is such a thing as too much devotion. Well, Wang!" he shouted, sharply.

"If you please," called Wang, "here is a note for you."

Hardy arose, went to the door and took a letter from the boy's hand.

"Wait," he commanded, "till I see if there is an answer."

He tore open the envelope and read:

My Friend: I have just learned that the duel is to take place in the morning, and that pistols are the weapons chosen. You know that I gave my consent to this deplorable affair because you asked me in terms that left me no choice. I am going now to beg something of you; it is that you spare my headstrong and violent cousin's life. He wronged you outrageously, I know, and in the name of the Romanoff family, I humbly beg your pardon for that wrong, but should you kill him—and your wonderful skill places his life entirely in your hands—I should feel that his blood is on my head. Will you not grant a distracted woman's prayer and spare his life? Wound him, if you will, but, oh, do not kill him! By granting this request, you will place under still deeper obligations one who already owes you more than she can ever hope to repay. ELIZABETHA ROMANOVNA.

As he read, Hardy turned pale to the lips. He tore the note in small bits and dropped them into a waste paper basket.

"Is there any answer, dear master?" called the voice of Wang through the door.

"No," replied Hardy, "there is no answer.

CHAPTER XXXVI.

The Duel.

Frederick Courtland Hardy slept poorly that night. The typical hero of romance, when about to fight a duel at break of day goes to bed and sleeps more soundly than ever before in his life. This deep slumber proves his iron nerve more incontestably than any amount of swash-buckling bravado or any number of great oaths could do. But we are not dealing with a typical hero of romance.

Hardy, as he tossed about for hours on the bed, felt genuine disgust at himself that he was unable to go to sleep. He experienced no fear, and he had a feeling that it was irregular for a gentleman to lie awake under such circumstances.

About midnight it occurred to him that it might be a good thing to make

He Wrote with a Lead Pencil, "For Wang."

his will. Such a document already existed, but he now arose and, putting on dressing-gown and slippers, went out into the office. Lighting the gas, he wrote as follows:

Moscow, January 7, 1904.

Being of sound mind and in possession of all my faculties, I write this as a codicil to my will, now in the keeping of Andrew Mackey, Esq., attorney at law, Boston. I hereby will and bequeath all my ready money, deposited in the Russo-Kitaisky bank at Stryetensk, and amounting to something over 6,000 roubles, to my faithful secretary, Wang, and I heartily commend the said Wang to the favorable notice of Frederick Emery, president of the American Trading Company in Siberia. The boy is faithful, honest, and possesses a degree of business ability quite astonishing in one so young.

FREDERICK COURTLAND HARDY.

This he folded and put in an envelope on which he wrote with a lead pencil, "For Wang." Tossing the envelope on a table in his sleeping room, he went back to bed, and at last succeeded in getting to sleep. He was awakened by Gortchakov pounding upon his door and shouting:

"Get up, my friend, get up! We shall be late for the rendezvous!"

Hardy dressed hurriedly and went out to his second, who was waiting in the office.

The lieutenant's sledge and beautiful team of thoroughbreds was waiting at the curb.

"Jump in, pray," he said, "and let's be off. And we mustn't talk of anything happening. There is nothing going to happen except that you will shoot a great rascal and bully through the heart, and we shall come back to a hearty breakfast, having done a good morning's work with very little waste of time."

Gortchakov had now fixed on Romanoff's heart as the most pleasing receptacle for Hardy's bullet.

The coachman cracked his long whip and the high-strung, nervous steeds gave a great bound and went scurrying through the early streets of the Muscovite capital. In half an hour they had reached their destination, a thick wood on the banks of the Moskva. Hardy's other second was already on the spot with a surgeon, a fat little man, wrapped thick in furs, who walked briskly to and fro in the snow, carrying a case of instruments.

"You are in good time, gentlemen," cried Gortchakov, consulting his watch, "there are still ten minutes to spare."

"I think I hear sleigh bells now," said the surgeon. "I hope it is Romanoff, so that I can get back to my warm bed. What the devil people want to come out in such weather as this, is more than I can understand. Let them shoot each other and be damned, if they want to, but not at this hour and in such weather."

"We shall try to be expeditious," said Hardy, cheerfully, "and, in the meantime, I beg pardon for my share in the inconvenience to which we are putting you. You're right about the sleigh bells. Here are our friends now."

Through a vista between the leafless trees a sledge could be seen approaching, drawn by three horses, running like mad. The driver rose to his feet and settled back on the seat, bringing them to a rearing, pawing, sudden halt.

The details were soon arranged and the ground measured off. Hardy did not pay any attention to these preliminaries, but walked briskly backward and forward to keep his feet warm, glancing occasionally at Romanoff, who stood leaning against a tree, his hands in his ulster pockets, an insolent, careless smile on his handsome face. He certainly was a splendid specimen of manhood, thought the American, and if he felt the least tremor of fear, he knew how to disguise it. Did it seem at all unlikely that a high-bred, aristocratic woman, the daughter of a hundred warriors, should have fallen in love with a man like that?

"It is time now, my friend," said Gortchakov, coming up to Hardy. "I must trouble you to remove your coat. But you will not catch cold, for it will only take you a minute. Upon my word, I admire your nerve. You ought to have been a Russian. You will shoot him at the word 'three!'"

Hardy removed his ulster and faced his opponent. A long dueling pistol of excellent make and perfect precision was placed in his hand.

"Are you ready, gentlemen?" asked Koukolnik. "I will count three, slowly. You will raise your weapons and take aim when I commence, and will fire at the word 'three.'"

As these words were being uttered, Hardy fixed his eyeglasses more firmly on his nose, the while he examined the distance and the person of his antagonist with a cool, practiced glance.

Koukolnik began.

"Odeen!"

"The two weapons were raised and pointed.

"Dvah!"

It could not be seen that the hand of either man trembled in the slightest.

"Tra!"

Two shots rang out, almost simultaneously.

Neither man fell.

"Hell and furies!" cried Romanoff, throwing his pistol to the earth. "I have missed him. This weapon is utterly worthless. I demand another shot."

"Very well," replied Hardy, quietly; "but if we shoot again, I shall shoot to kill. I beg that you will inform his highness of my intentions, at the same time conveying to him the assurance of my most distinguished consideration."

"You have missed," whispered Gortchakov, petulantly. "Why did you do this? You're as cool this minute as I am. Are you sure you have not wounded him?"

"My principal demands another shot," said Koukolnik, advancing. "He presents his compliments to Mr. Hardy, and suggests that he has not done justice to his great reputation for skill. Perhaps he will get better control of his nerves, now that he has escaped danger once, and his hand will not tremble as much as it evidently has done this time."

"Tell the prince for me that, if we shoot again, I shall do myself the honor of lodging a ball exactly midway between his eyes."

Koukolnik started for the prince with the message. He had not traversed over half the distance when Hardy said:

"I am faint, lieutenant. Let me lean on you for a moment."

"My God, you are wounded!" cried Gortchakov, putting his arm about the American's waist; and, indeed, a dark stain, rapidly spreading, dyed his waistcoat and shirtfront.

"I—I am slightly wounded," gasped Hardy, and fainted away.

"What's the matter there with our

"I Am Faint, Lieutenant, Let Me Lean on You."

man?" asked Romanoff, in a voice that made no attempt to conceal a sneer. "He seems to be slightly weary. I thought I must have hit him. How is it, surgeon? Have I done his business for him?"

"He is seriously wounded, I fear," replied the surgeon. "Get his coat about him. Here, lift him into the sledge. Let me get in with you. Now, drive like mad; drive, I say!"

CHAPTER XXXVII.

The Gold Cuff Button.

By the surgeon's orders, Gortchakov drove directly to a hospital, where Hardy was laid upon a bed and his wound examined and dressed. The prince's bullet had passed through the flesh beneath the shoulder, making a clean perforation—a painful but not a dangerous wound. Hardy revived in the sledge, and to Gortchakov's demand why he had shot so badly, made no reply other than:

"The best-intentioned bullets sometimes go astray. I turn him over to you, lieutenant, I have not deprived you of the pleasure of killing him yourself."

His coat and shirt were cut away from his chest at the hospital, and a young grub of an intern assisted the surgeon in washing the wound and passing a silk handkerchief through it—an operation that caused the patient to bite his nether lip till it bled, but did not draw a groan from him.

"You will be all right in about a month," said the surgeon, on taking his leave, "but I beg you, if you think of fighting again, either to postpone your little affair till the spring breezes begin to blow, or don't call on me to assist you. I shall have chilblains as a result of your foolishness, that may cause me more suffering than your nasty little puncture."

Gortchakov departed in a surly humor, evidently disgruntled because his principal had failed to remove the lieutenant's chief rival, as he supposed, to another sphere, where they neither marry nor are given in marriage.

Hardy was left alone with a large-boned, florid nurse of peasant type, and the young grub of an intern, who was disposed to be inquisitve as to the cause of the wound.

He rid himself of the intern by pretending that he desired to sleep, and then sent the nurse to telephone for Wang.

The boy arrived about noon.

"What has happened, my dear master?" he sobbed, sinking on his knees beside the cot, and taking one of Hardy's hands in both his own. "Are you wounded? Have you been attacked? Have you met with an accident? Tell me, I beg of you! You do not know how I have suffered with fear and anxiety, as I felt that you were about to encounter some terrible danger. And you left me this—this—" producing the will and tearing it into bits, "to increase my anxiety. Did you think that money could have compensated me for your loss? Oh, it was cruel of you—cruel!"

"There!" said Hardy, kindly, touched by the boy's concern. "Get up and sit in that chair. Bring it here by the side of the bed, and I'll tell you all about it. I, an American, Frederick Courtland Hardy of Boston, Mass., have fought a duel, and, I suspect, about a woman!"

"A—a woman?" stammered Wang, turning suddenly pale.

"As nearly as I can find out. I was calling on the Princess Romanovna, paying her my respects, when in came her cousin, the Prince Romanoff, and insulted me so grossly that I deemed it my duty to demand satisfaction of him. I strongly suspect that his highness' antipathy to me is rooted chiefly in the fact that I, on one occasion, saved the life of his fair cousin. He struck me in the face, Wang."

As the American said these words his own countenance flushed with shame.

"He struck you!" cried the Korean. "I could spit on his corpse. I could spurn it with my foot!"

"I have no doubt you could, thereby displaying your devotion to my unworthy self. Your plan is impracticable, however, for the simple reason that there is no corpse. Romanoff is alive and well at the present moment and is no doubt gloating over my discomfiture."

"He is not even wounded?" asked the boy.

"Not even wounded."

"But why did you not kill him when you had the opportunity? It surely would not have been difficult to hit that great hulk of flesh. Is it then safe to strike an American gentleman in the face?"

"N—ot always. My reasons for not killing him are too complicated for a boy to understand. They involve a lady's sanction of a duel, and then her subsequent nullifying of that sanction. They involve, in general, a lady's request, which can hardly be overlooked when she is, in reality, the cause of the hatred which made the meeting necessary. Do you follow me, Wang?"

"I—I think I do," replied the boy, wearily. "You spared him because the princess asked you to. You have been magnanimous, whatever the cost to yourself, and given the princess her admirer, for whom, in his moment of extreme peril, she found that she cared more than she had supposed. And now you are done with the whole Romanoff family!"

Hardy forgot his pain for the moment and started at the boy in open-mouthed wonderment.

"If you were not a boy," he said at last, sinking back on the pillow, "I should think you were a woman. Your intuition in such matters is positively marvelous. And now I mustn't talk too much, for it makes this shoulder ache like a bad tooth. I must get well, and we must go back to Stryetensk and the store. But there is one little thing that I want you to do for me. Go to the place where the duel was fought this morning. I shall describe the location exactly to you. Romanoff stood near a large oak tree, whose trunk divides about six feet from the ground into two trunks equal in size. Look about there and see if you can find in the snow a gold cuff-button. It is there, and, shining against the white, should be easily found. Bring it to me as quickly as possible."

Wang left without another word.

Not long after the boy's departure the nurse brought in a bouquet of priceless orchids, which she arranged in a vase and set on a table near his bed.

"An isvoschik brought them," she explained to Hardy. "Here is the note that came with them."

She handed him a tiny billet-doux and raised one of the shades. Holding the note in his teeth, he opened the envelope with his good hand, and read:

My Friend: I do not know what your feelings are toward my unhappy self. I had no idea that this deplorable affair would end as it has. Will you allow me to come in person and express my regret, and do whatever lies in my power to alleviate your sufferings? Thank God you are not killed!

ELIZABETHA ROMANOVNA.

"Tell the man that there is no answer at present," said Hardy to the nurse.

Wang was gone two hours. When he arrived he came straight to Hardy's couch and handed him a small gold object, with a bit of linen hanging to it.

"Here it is," he said; "it is stamped with the crest of the Romanoff family. I thought you had lost one of your own cuff buttons."

"Bring paper and envelopes," Hardy requested of the nurse, "and then leave us alone for a few minutes."

The woman complied.

"Now take my indelible pen from my waistcoat pocket and write."

Wang sat down at the table and looked inquiringly at his master.

"Your highness," dictated Hardy, "I hope that you will not give yourself the slightest uneasiness on my account. My wound is a very trifling matter, from which I shall soon recover. I am greatly honored by your kind offer to call and see me, but I must deny myself the pleasure of receiving you. I can not allow you to compromise your exalted position by thus yielding to the dictates of your good heart. Will you allow me to add that I feel I have already trespassed too far on your good nature and am quite unwilling to continue the infliction? As you have frequently admired my skill with the pistol, I am inclosing a little trophy of the same, his highness' cuff button, which I hope will convince you that I have not disappointed your expectations. Will you kindly hand it to him with my compliments? Wishing you all happiness in the years to come, I remain

"Your humble servant,
"FREDERICK COURTLAND HARDY."

Wang laughed—a queer, hard little laugh of mingled exultation and hate, without waiting for any further directions from his master, he put the cuff button in the envelope with the note, sealed it and directed it to the Princess Romanovna.

"You will take that to the princess' palace," directed Hardy, "and give it into her highness' own hands."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

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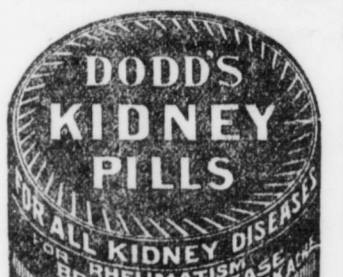

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Causes Which Led to the Extinction of the Mammoth

By G. FREDERICK WRIGHT, A.M., LL.D.

IN 1839 Dr. Koch of St. Louis gave an account in the Journal of Science of the discovery of the skeleton of a mammoth in Gasconade county, Mo. (50 or 60 miles above St. Louis), which showed clear evidence that man had aided in the killing of the animal. At the time some one attempted to throw doubt upon this description, but subsequent discoveries render it perfectly credible. The skeleton was found, as usual, in a peat bog in which there had been a considerable accumulation of vegetable mold, blue clay and sand, and was about five feet below the surface. Beneath this skeleton was an Indian spearhead and a stone ax of antique pattern; also ashes and pieces of burnt wood and burnt bone. There were also pieces of rock weighing from two to 25 pounds, which were scattered as though they had been thrown at the animal. The hind and fore foot were still preserved, together with pieces of the skin. Dr. Koch supposed that the animal, having become mired in the mud, was attacked by men, who thus aided in his destruction.

These facts give point to the question put to me by Professor Schmidt three years ago in St. Petersburg when I asked him concerning the cause of the destruction of the mammoth. He said: "Are you sure that man did not have a good deal to do with it, as he had with the destruction of the buffalo and other animals?" Nevertheless, one cannot but feel that this destruction has been too widespread and on too large a scale to have been much affected by the agency of man. It seems more likely that climatic changes have been the principal agency in the destruction and that these changes were not from increasing cold, but rather increasing warmth.

The mammoth, as we have seen, was abundantly supplied with fur, which shielded him from the effects of cold. He lived on the vegetation that grows in semi-arid regions. It is very likely that the amelioration of climate which followed upon the close of the glacial period produced conditions to which the species could not readily adapt itself.

It is astonishing what small things in nature are oftentimes destructive of life. The cattle are driven off from large areas in South Africa by the attacks of a little fly which swarms in the region. Grizzly bears in Alaska are often killed by mosquitoes. The mosquito attacks the eye, which is the weakest point, and the bear, in attempting to kill the mosquito with his paw, scratches his own eyes out and becomes blind. Thus the development and multiplication of some insignificant enemies of the mammoth as the climate grew warmer may have been fatal to his existence.

There is, however, much evidence that the mammoth became extinct in many places because his instincts ceased to be an unfailing guide amid the changing conditions which followed the close of the glacial period. Dr. Robert Bell, from his wide experience, has suggested a theory something as follows: The mammoth was in the habit of seeking shelter within the forest line during winter, and with the opening of spring migrating to the timberless country of the north, where he could browse on the small trees which line the river courses of the Arctic ocean. These habits of migration having become fixed, the animals could not always perceive the dangers connected with the change in climatic conditions and would sometimes be too far away on the approach of winter successfully to reach safe winter quarters. In this case they might be caught in the early winter storms or attempt to cross an ice-covered body of water before it was sufficiently strong to bear them.

Dr. Bell relates that on an island in Ungava bay a whole herd of reindeer perished from starvation during one storm when a heavy snowfall was followed by rain which formed a crust, thus cutting off the supply of moss. The island was never restocked afterward. Such may have been the means by which large herds of the mammoth were destroyed in northern regions. Stockmen in the west, as well as in Siberia, often now suffer great loss from these storms of sleet, which form such a crust over the grass that the animals are unable to procure the nutriment that is almost in sight of their longing eyes.

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Where the Past Still Holds Sway in India

North from Baroda the country becomes a great grassy plain, very much like the South African veldt, says J. Ramsay Macdonald describing a trip through India. The men change. They become more jaunty in their carriage. They part their beards in the middle, and comb back the sides to their ears. They carry ancient guns and Old World scimiters. When the sun sinks in the evening a thousand herds of cattle wander home over innumerable tracks converging on the villages. This is Rajputana, the home of proud warriors and brave women.

Baroda, with a smile, says: "I am modern;" Rajputana, with a haughty sniff, says: "I keep the old ways." Commerce and politics have both invaded parts of it; some of its chiefs hanker after English Philistinism. But these degeneracies are still exceptions.

Whoever comes to India and does not sit down on the plain below Chitor with a history at his elbow and a plan on his lap, and then go up the hill—on an elephant if possible—to the ruined temples, palaces, bazars, tanks and the still almost perfect towers, might as well have stayed at home.

Round these walks tradition has woven most sacred garlands. Wending one's way up the long zig-zag road, which is flanked all along by massive walls and spanned every now and then by a frowning gate, one may still imagine that he hears the tramp of the Rajput cavalry going out to die, and it is easy to translate the hum of voices and other sounds which come down and go up from the villages at the top and bottom of the hill as the bridal song of the women going to their awful death by fire in the cavern of the palace rather than become prisoners in the hands of the moguls. The whole place is a vast temple of chivalry. Through these narrow lanes and over these ruined heaps one should go bare of head and foot. At Chitor the past is dead, and only comes from its grave at nightfall. But not far off in the new capital of the state, Udaipur, the old time still lives in the light of day.

The railway stops far out from the confines of Udaipur as an unclean steps at the threshold of a temple, and you have to drive for a mile or so to get to the city. Towering over the city are great white palaces and temple domes. The hills around are capped by palaces and forts and temples. Holy men wander unkempt, ashcovered, almost naked in its streets, or sit beneath its trees contemplating the eternal and the all-comprehending void.

Hardly had we arrived when we were told that a religious procession had started from the palace. Then they came blowing horns, beating drums and cymbals, on foot, on horses, on elephants, the maharana under a golden umbrella near the rear. The rains were over, and the time had come when the chiefs gathered around their ruler and prepared to go out with him to give battle.

But before they went they had to propitiate the gods. Therefore a holy man came and sat for ten days in a temple without food or sleep, holding a sword on his knees, and every evening before sunset the maharana and his warriors went to do homage before him. They used to chant sacred songs and recite sacred verses on the way. That was the procession we saw. The sword of a long dead ancestor had been sent from the palace the day before, and the yogi sat with it in the temple as though peace had not been declared, and as though other sounds than those of reaping still followed the rains.

Next morning the maharana sent for us. Inside the palace all was oriental bustle. Camels, horses, fowls, elephants wandered in the courtyards, the white walls of which simply flared with purity in the sun. A perfect maze of moving humanity, from whining babies to the decrepit aged, moved about. Suitors with their petitions sat at the doorways, soldiers paced up and down in the arches, with swords on their thighs, scribes and courtiers lounged against pillars, and stretched themselves on marble benches.

Through endless passages, up innumerable stairs we were taken, and at length were ushered into the presence of a small, keen-eyed, gray-bearded, dignified man. He explained that he had been busy with his devotions. He toyed with a sword which lay across his knees.

We were away back in the middle ages in the presence of a man whose greatest boast was that no Moslem blood ever tainted his own, and that he had been true to the Rajput motto: "He who keeps the faith is preserved by God." He stood for the old ways, he told us. When he goes out into his domain 3,000 retainers follow him. He sacrifices every morning to his gods; he sits on the judgment seat and hears the petitions of his people; he keeps his sword arm strong and crafty by hewing at clay images. Even his clocks decline to bow the knee to Calcutta, as his ancestors declined to accept the yoke of the mogul—so he lives half an hour behind the official time.

I do not know to what enormities of heathendom I committed myself, but I said it was well that the old should not die. He smiled approvingly, murmured that some of his chiefs were not so faithful as himself, shifted his sword, held out his hand, and we returned through the courtiers, the soldiers, and the suitors into the noisy and crowded courtyards far below.

WANTED TURKEY AS EMBLEM

Franklin Opposed Idea of Choosing the Eagle as National Bird of America.

Rostand's "Chanteeler," in the title role of which Miss Maude Adams is to appear in this country, is an allegory. The cock, the old emblem of the French nation, in this remarkable play perhaps typifies and represents France.

The cock was the national bird of that country as long ago as the time of the Gauls. Napoleon, trying to reproduce the Roman eagle as a military emblem and "the eagles of France" is a phrase which frequently resounds in his proclamations. After his downfall the cock began to replace the eagle and now appears on French coins. Gallant, lively, courageous, he seems more in accordance with French character than the morose eagle.

Benjamin Franklin opposed the adoption of the eagle as our national bird. He thought a nation's character could be affected by the sort of bird or beast chosen as its totem. He wanted us to choose the turkey, which is characteristically American, because it is native to this continent, social and peaceable, though able and willing to put up a good fight when attacked. The fact that it was useful also appealed to Franklin. Further, a number of countries already had selected the predacious, selfish, solitary and cruel eagle as their emblem.

Would it have made any difference in our national spirit if the inoffensive and toothsome turkey had been chosen as our national bird? At least it would have been a bit odd to dine on the national emblem each Thanksgiving day.—Chicago Daily News.

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Aroused Sporting Instinct.

An Irish policeman who was also something of a sportsman, had been posted on a road near Dublin to catch the scorching motorist. Presently one came along at 20 miles an hour, and the policeman saw it pass without a sign. Next came a larger motor traveling at 40 miles an hour, and the eyes of the guardian of the public brightened. And then one passed at the rate of a mile a minute. "Begorrah," said Pat, slapping his thigh, "that's the best of the lot."

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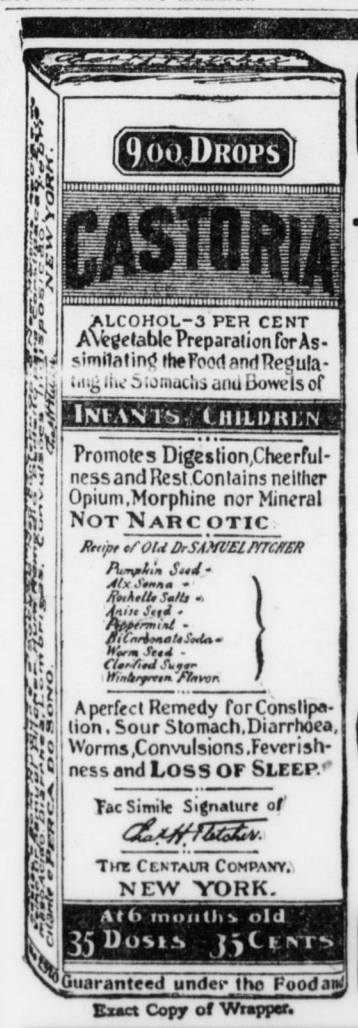
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Breezy County News

DENTS RUN.

In a long drawn and tiresome game, the home team defeated Sterling Run, at this place, last Saturday, 25 to 2.

John Williams with family is spending a week at the home of his parents in this place. He is employed on the B. & S., with headquarters in DuBois.

"Si" Winslow and wife spent a few weeks with the latter's parents.

Mrs. C. M. Bierly and son Stanley are spending ten days at her former home in Rebersburg, Centre county.

Ollie Wyankoop is greeting old friends and acquaintances at this place. He is now located in the State of Washington.

Mrs. Sloan, of Lansdale, is spending the summer with her sister, Mrs. Merrill.

Joe Hinaman, who taught the grammar school in this place last winter, is now the happy father of a bouncing baby girl.

Last year's teachers have been elected to again preside over our schools the coming term. Miss Nellie Shaffer, primary, and Joe Hinaman, grammar.

Mr. Lake, of Newark, N. J., and a son-in-law of our townsman, Mr. H. Whitcomb, is spending ten days at the latter's home.

William Whitcomb, who is employed on a lumber operation at Pine Camp, Georgia, tarried between trains Sunday with his father and again returned to the far south.

B. M. C.

MEDIX RUN.

Mrs. Nelse Huffman and family of Penfield are visiting relatives in town.

Mr. Lawrence Moody, wife and son are visiting the former's parents at Driftwood this week.

John Portius of Hicks Run was in town between trains Saturday evening.

Chas. Smith was a Falls Creek visitor on Sunday.

Miss Gordie Hill is visiting relatives Grove Hill.

Freeland Smith is visiting his grandparents at Driftwood this week.

Curt Frantz and wife of Newberry came here Saturday evening. They have been at Furgerson, S. C., and Savannah, Ga. They are now at the home of L. B. Russell and wife. Jacob Frantz and wife accompanied them as far as Driftwood, where they took the train for St. Marys to visit Mrs. Frantz's parents.

Myrt Portius and wife of this place were called to Hicks Run Saturday evening to see the former's brother who is suffering with a severe attack of pneumonia. They expect to take the young man to the Williamsport hospital for treatment.

Byrndale and the home team played a very interesting game of ball here Sunday afternoon, the score being 5-4 in favor of the home boys.

RED BIRD.

STERLING RUN.

Miss Kathryn May returned home Monday from several days' visit with relatives at Westport.

The Jordan Reunion was held at the home of Mrs. N. D. Jordan, Saturday A large number of relatives were present.

Miss Teoka Whiting, who is attending school at Williamsport returned home the past week to spend her vacation.

There are a number of cases of measles in town, but none are very ill.

Miss Martz, of Hollidaysburg, was the guest of Miss Mabel Wylie, the past week.

Geo. O'Keefe, who is attending school at Lock Haven Normal, came home Saturday for vacation.

Mrs. J. A. Dice returned home from Harrisburg Saturday, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Sykes, who will make her future home with them.

Mr. Miller and children, of Williamsport, are the guests of Geo. Strawbridge and relatives in town the past week.

Mrs. M. C. Earl, who has been visiting relatives in Emporium the past month, returned to town Saturday.

Miss Nellie Whiting, accompanied by her brother Ward left for Manns, Pa., where she has accepted a position as stenographer with the Pittsburg and Buffalo Coal Co.

Miss Mary Summerson visited at Cameron, Sunday.

Mrs. Thomas Hart visited her daughter, Mrs. Ida Wing, at Keating Summit, the past week.

The Sterling Base Ball Team played at Dent's Run Saturday and lost. Having now lost two games this season—at Emporium and Dents Run. Get a hustle on you, boys.

H. A. Brady is doing some surveying for the Mount Hope railroad this week.

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Alonzo Pontius, who has been suffering with a severe attack of pneumonia, for the past week, is better at this writing.

Mr. Dinger, who was operated on by Dr. Merrill, for appendicitis, some time ago, is able to be on our streets again.

Chas. Pepperman is confined to his house on account of injuries received from falling off the mill trestle, the fore part of last week.

A transient woodsman, known by the name of Jack Reagan, fell and broke his arm, while intoxicated, one day last week. He was taken to Lock Haven hospital for treatment.

Dr. B. E. Merrill left on Friday for Portland, Oregon, to visit friends at that place and will also take a medical examination for that State.

Wright Mason, of Sterling Run, was seen on our streets one day last week. Being president of Gibson Township School Board, he of course is interested in the welfare of some of our young and popular school teachers.

Miss Neva Summerson and Elsie Pepperman, who have been attending the summer school at Emporium, have returned to their homes at this place.

Harvey Hicks and family have returned from Washington and once more are making the farm on Huston Hill their headquarters.

Amos Ross, one of the Indians of Camp No. 461, that helped in the attempt to capture the city of Reading, a couple of weeks ago, has returned home and is now wearing a broad smile. A little papoose has been added to his home and it's a girl.

Don't forget to come to the big celebration at Hicks Run, on the Fourth.

June 27th, 1910.

B. E. W.

HUNTLEY.

Miss Mattie Collins, of Emporium, was the guest of her brother, B. J. Collins, of this place on Tuesday.

Mrs. Wm. H. Logue and daughters, were Sterling Run callers and attended the Jordan Reunion on Friday.

Joe Jordan, of Emporium, was the guest of Clyde Collins on Monday.

William Nelson, of Hicks Run, was the guest of his mother, Mrs. Malvina Nelson, at this place, over Sunday.

Clyde Collins expects to build a grist mill in the near future, so as to be ready for the fall trade. His engine has arrived. It is a beauty—six horse power; gasolene. We are glad to have a mill handy at home.

Mrs. Albert Jordan, of Grove Hill, was the guest of J. S. Jordan and family, last week.

William Kailburn was a Drittwood caller one day last week. Mr. Kailburn is now in his 90th year and spry as a fox.

Mrs. Della Lord, of Sterling Run, was the guest of A. W. Smith on Tuesday.

Dan Kailburn has accepted a position as fireman on the Pennsy. Dan is a first-class fireman and keeps his engine popping.

W. W. Johnson was a Renovo caller on Sunday.

June 28th, 1910. SPORT.

At Private Sale.

Owing to our departure from Emporium in the near future, we desire to dispose of a quantity of household goods. Call this week.

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CAMERON.

Small showers of not much benefit.

John Schwab, of Emporium, spent Sunday with his family in this place.

Quite a number of Calder people were shopping in Emporium the past week.

The Ice Cream Social held in the Temperance Hall Saturday evening was well attended.

The K. G. E. boys will have installation of officers Saturday evening. All members are requested to attend this meeting.

The base ball team of this place has evidently disbanded by the looks of things. No practice for the past two weeks and it is reported Capt. Stewart and Manager Krape have resigned

E. F. Comley is the champion chicken raiser of the town, he having secured 7 small chickens out of 30 eggs set.

E. F. Comley had the good luck Sunday of seeing a large rattlesnake charming a rabbit. He killed the snake with a club; then threw the club at the rabbit and killed it. The snake had 17 rattles and three buttons.

Big times are being arranged for the Fourth. Quite a number of town people are expecting to spend the Fourth elsewhere though.

Dan Sullivan had a mess of new potatoes, and Operator Krape had a mess of new peas for Sunday dinner. How is that for your town buckwheaters?

Section foreman Anderson is busy banking up the new ballast he received on the R. R. the past week.

LOUISE.

SINNAMAHONING.

Mr. Leo Peterson, chemist, of Emporium, spent Friday and Saturday of last week in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Oldstrum and son of Galeton, visited Mrs. Oldstrum's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos. Bennet, last Sunday.

Miss Bertha Fulton spent last Sunday in Emporium, the guest of Leo Peterson and wife.

Amos Fenton visited his home at Emporium last Sunday.

Washington Crum and John Crum visited their parents this week.

Miss Myrtle Shafer and Harry Strayer attended the musical at Emporium last Friday evening.

J. M. Shafer and son visited in Woolrich, the guests of of H. H. McCloskey and family, this week.

Francis McCloskey-Verbeck and Elfrun accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Conner, started for the west this week.

Misses Iva Crum and Mabel Buchanan, who were attending summer Normal at Emporium, have returned home.

Miss Helen Counsil has returned home from Williamsport, where she has been attending school.

Mrs. J. H. Baird and Elizabeth Piper made a trip to Williamsport and Renovo last week.

E. F. Smith, who works for C. B. Howard Co., at Emporium, was home over Sunday.

J. H. Drum is building an addition to his residence at Wyside.

Dr. C. W. Gray made a business trip to Buffalo and Niagara Falls last week, returning on Saturday.

Harry Lupold, of Emporium, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lupold, last Sunday.

Martha Robinson, of Renovo, visited relatives here last week.

The School Directors of the Independent School District met Monday evening and elected the following teachers for the next term of school:

Grove—Maud Callahan. Wyside—Vida Housler. Sinn'a. Primary—Mabel Buchannan. Sinn'a. Grammar—J. R. Hanawalt, of Lewistown, Pa.

The young ladies of the Sinnamahoning Powder Co's shell house held an ice cream social on the church lawn Wednesday evening. Proceeds to be used for church debt and repairs.

Helen Counsil is visiting at Keating Summit, the guest of the Misses Caflisch.

Hon. C. F. Barclay, of Washington, D. C., and Watson L. Barcley, of Laquin, Pa., are transacting business in town this week.

Amy Nelson, of First Fork, who has been working in the shell house, has returned to her home. She expects to go with her people to Texas, in the near future.

D. W. Horn, a former resident of this town, called on friends Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. James Quiggle has moved her household goods to Wyside. Earl Foultz and wife will occupy the apartments vacated by Mrs. Quiggle.

Mr. Andrew Ullrich, of Emporium, was in town this week.

June 29, 1910.

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The Churches.

FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL.
REV. J. F. ANDERSON, Pastor.

Preaching by the pastor at 10:30 a. m., and 7:30 p. m., morning subject; "Job's Creed." Class meeting at 9:30; Sunday School at 11:45; Epworth League 6:45 p. m.

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